

WHAT HAS BECOME OF EXPLORER COOK

Efforts to Locate Missing Discoverer Are Unavailing

Friends in New York Are Greatly Exasperated By His Strange Movements.

ONLY ONE MAN THAT KNOWS WHERE HE IS

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NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook dropped completely from public view today. Not even John H. Bradley, whose money was behind his polar expeditions, knows where he is tonight.

Confiding his secret to only one man and perhaps his wife, the explorer slipped quietly and mysteriously away, leaving behind him a string of puzzled and exasperated friends and a debate over his disappearance.

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THREE CASES OF PELLAGRA, DREADED DISEASE OF SOUTH ARE FOUND IN ALAMEDA COUNTY ALMSHOUSE BY DR. BLUE

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Dr. Rupert Blue of the United States Marine Hospital service, has discovered three authenticated cases of pellagra in the Alameda county almshouse in Oakland. All the patients are foreign born, but have lived in this country for twenty years. As they are slightly demented, Dr. Blue said it was impossible to get a correct history of their illness.

NOOKSACK IS AT HIGH FLOOD

Raging Water Carries Away Steel Bridges and Endangers Inhabitants.

SEVERAL TOWNS ARE BELOW THE LEVEL

Torrents Descending on the Snow Covered Hills Cause Rapid Rise in Streams, Increasing the Alarm.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 27.—Raging floods have caused damage along the Nooksack river, carrying out steel bridges and endangering homes for a hundred miles along the water course and its tributaries.

County officials are guarding many of the main road bridges tonight. Torrents of rain are descending on the snow-blanketed hills and streams are rising perilously each hour.

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ALMA BELL MAY GO INTO VAUDEVILLE

AUBURN, Cal., November 27.—Alma Bell, the young mountain girl, who was acquitted last Wednesday of the murder of her lover, Joe Armes, declared today that she is seriously considering several tempting offers made to her by theatrical managers to go on the vaudeville stage.

One manager, it is said, has offered her \$200 a week.

"I am seriously considering going on the stage," said the young woman today. "I want to think the matter over and do not want to make a mistake. I will decide by next Tuesday whether I will accept any of the offers that I have received."

FRENCH GUNBOAT DESTROYS RICE

Driven Into a Paddy Field By Violent Storm; Chemical Vessel Is Wrecked.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 27.—The steamer Peloponnesus, from Asiatic ports today brought news from Mexico that the French gunboat Argus was driven into a paddy field 600 yards up a river in which she took shelter from a violent storm last month and about the substance caused by her Chinese farmers have demanded \$7,000 compensation for destruction of their rice crops by the gunboat's inroads.

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BITTER FIGHT TO OUST LIQUOR

Voters of Alabama Will Decide Today on Stringent Prohibition Amendment.

WOULD PROHIBIT KEEPING OF LIQUOR

Statesmen Are Sharply Divided as to Merit of Adding This Provision to Constitution; Avoids Courts.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 27.—Voters of Alabama will decide Monday whether they will make the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors a part of the organic law of the state.

The question of whether the state constitution is to be thus amended was submitted at a special session of the state legislature called by Governor Comer last August. That session was one of the most bitter in the history of the commonwealth and the campaign which followed and closed tonight was not more peaceful.

The amendment that would forever bar liquor from the state is the crowning feature of the most drastic anti-liquor legislation ever introduced in any state. The bill prohibits the manufacture, sale and keeping for sale of alcoholic liquors and malt liquors and other intoxicating liquors and beverages, with the exception that alcohol may be sold for medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes and wine for sacramental purposes under such regulations as the legislature may prescribe.

Another provision would give to the legislature the power to prohibit citizens from keeping liquor in their homes. This is put forth to meet the recent Supreme court ruling that liquor is a commodity which can be produced and stored where and in such quantities as its owners may see fit, so long as he does not offer it for sale.

The fight during the campaign has been a bitter one, with many bitter words and many bitter deeds. The amendment has been introduced in the state legislature and will be voted on Monday.

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SISKIYOU COUNTY VOTES OUT SALOONS

Report Comes to New York But Is Without Confirmation

Denial from Zelaya's Government of Rumor American Minister Imprisoned.

NAVY DEPARTMENT WAITS ON DIPLOMATS

Insurgents at Bluefields Are Said to Have Received a Large Quantity of Arms and Ammunition from Sea

NEW YORK, November 27.—Private though unconfirmed cable advices reached New York tonight that United States forces were landed at Bluefields, Nicaragua today. The message, which was received by G. Spencer Holland, a former resident of Nicaragua, who has mining and other interests there, was in cipher and did not specify from what American cruiser the big jetties were landed. It was signed by Colonel F. Galarza, in command of some of the insurgent forces at Bluefields.

WASHINGTON, November 27.—A rumor gained currency here today to the effect that American blue-jackets from the cruiser Des Moines had been landed at Greytown, Nicaragua, today. The report could not be confirmed.

Naval officers disclaimed knowledge of the landing and said they would be glad to see the case the Navy Department would have been notified.

Rear Admiral Potter, chief of the bureau of navigation, said tonight that the Des Moines is not at Greytown, that so far as the department knew, the vessel was at Port Limon, Costa Rica.

A wireless message from General Estades to all members of the Nicaraguan Congress are in the penitentiary or fleeing.

NEW ORLEANS, November 27.—A rumor that his purpose in coming to New Orleans was to incite action in the federal courts to prevent further shipments of arms and ammunition to the revolutionists in Nicaragua from this port was denied tonight by Louis F. Core, former Nicaraguan Minister to Washington.

Although it was currently rumored that a large quantity of arms for the insurgents would be shipped on the steamer Marietta at Greytown, which sailed for Bluefields late tonight, its manifest showed no such articles.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, November 27.—There is absolutely no truth in the report circulated in the United States today and called here for confirmation that Mr. Calderon, the American vice-consul at Managua, has been imprisoned by President Zelaya. Mr. Calderon is at liberty and is attending to the duties of his office.

GUNBOAT PRINCE OF WALES. The gunboat Princeton completed taking on equipment at the Puget Sound navy yard tonight and tomorrow morning will sail for Corinto, Nicaragua, via San Francisco.

It is reported that the United States cruiser Des Moines has not been at Bluefields, but is reported to be en route for Port Limon, Costa Rica. A large quantity of arms and ammunition were landed here last night.

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BIG MONTANA TRACT IS OPEN TO ENTRY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—About 1,000,000 acres of land in eastern Montana are open to entry for the purpose of making allotments to the Rocky Boy band of Chippewa Indians. The band has been restored to settlement and entry by Secretary Ballinger.

Sixty per cent of the area is made of timber land and the remainder is a considerable portion is not susceptible to cultivation. A large number of settlers already are within the restored area, and that not spoken for will be subject to entry prior to March 1st next.

Arrangements for the allotments to the Rocky Boy band contemplate their location on a portion of the Blackfoot reservation. There are about 150 members of the band who at times have been very troublesome.

MURDERS TWO FOR DEATH OF BROTHER

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 27.—Paul and Lee Dunham are dead and Ed Weber is under arrest charged with their murder here today. The killing is the result of a shooting and wounding of Samuel Weber, brother of Ed, it was alleged, by the Dunhams and Ed Weber.

Ed Weber, 22, Weber, 22, and Ed Weber, 22, were shot and killed the Dunhams, who met them near this city. All are farmers.

TO ARGUE HIS OWN CASE. NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of the aged millionaire, William Marsh Rice, will appear in Brooklyn Monday to argue an appeal for release on \$100,000 bond before the appellate division of the Supreme Court. He will conduct his own case, as he did at a previous hearing, contending among other things that the commutation of the death sentence to life imprisonment was contrary to law.

TROLLEY AND AUTO COLLIDE. LOS ANGELES, Nov. 27.—A University street car struck an automobile at Hoover and Quincy streets today, killing the driver and injuring three others. H. D. Goff suffered a broken jaw.







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## VARIOUS KICKS

Various views of Consolidated packers have recently appeared in the Republican, all seeking to shift the responsibility for demoralized raisin conditions, some to the Republican, and some to the Farmers' Union, the Dried Fruit agency, or others.

The Republican is not concerned to defend one packer or distributor over another, except as the methods of each make from time to time for or against the general interest of the raisin industry. But if the Consolidated packers are determined, as some of their communications seem to indicate, that the raisin market shall be demoralized whenever they have to compete with any methods differing from their own, it is high time the raisin business got up, in somebody's hands, to the place of "live and let live."

There are bound to be efforts at re-operative marketing, and if every such effort is to be the signal for destructive competition, designed to drive it from the field, it is only a question of time when the destructive competition will be started from the co-operative side, designed (with probable success) to drive the commercial packers from the field. There is room for both, but if either one must be destroyed it will eventually be the commercial packer.

The talk about the Republican helping demoralize the market is foolish. The Republican has printed the news. When the Consolidated packers made their two-cent offer, with a 20,000 ton string on it, and said the market was dead, the Republican printed the same day, the report from the New York Journal of Commerce, which arrived that day, predicting inevitably stronger conditions. The Republican also printed the two-cent offer, and said editorially that the burden was on the packers to show that their offer was in good faith. One packer, in a communication this morning, insists that it was in good faith. So it was, in the sense that the packers had arranged for the money, and would have paid the two cents if they had got the 20,000 tons contracted. But we questioned, and now question, whether the estimate of 20,000 tons, as a reasonable amount to expect to get, of the amount then unsold was a correct estimate, or was in good faith supposed to be a correct estimate, of the actual market situation. Subsequent events have not indicated the correctness of the estimate. Also, subsequent events have demonstrated that if the packers wanted raisins, and wanted to maintain the price on a two-cent minimum base, all they needed to do was to offer two cents unconditionally. They had to do that or better, anyway, and meantime their timidity had transferred the strategic advantage to another and bolder buyer.

Also, when the Consolidated packers deliberately sold goods for less than the market was offering for them, the Republican ascertained the facts and printed the news. The net result of that publication is yesterday's action, which renders probable the pooling of the remaining crop and its sale for at least three cents. Did that "demoralize" the Eastern market?

How long the Consolidated packers will dominate raisin distribution, we do not know. If they would dominate it right, we should not much care. But they need to acquire some new and broader business standards, if they would retain that domination.

## WAS HE SO "RAW?"

It is to be assumed that Walter Parker, Southern Pacific boss of Southern California, will at once bring suit for libel or defamation of character against City Clerk Leland, at Los Angeles, and thereby secure a judicial hearing of the charge that he tried to bribe Leland, for \$1000, to sign a bogus franchise ordinance. Any other course, on Parker's part, would be a confession of guilt. Also, the great advantage of determining such matters by a suit for libel is that the person accused (being technically the plaintiff) can himself be called as a witness and thereby made to stand cross-examination on his version of the story. That is the reason we have always been so anxious to have Patrick Cathoun sue somebody for libel. Then he could tell us how Abe Ruef "held him up." That would be the "vindication" for which he has been so anxious.

In the case of Parker, we confess that we are surprised to hear the charge. This is the first time so direct a charge of personal bribery has been brought against any one so close to the upper councils of the railroad oligarchy. They have been supposed under the present regime, to practice the newer and finer art of political corruption, which eschews statutory crime. In the older and rarer days, the railroad's corruption bureau bought public officials, just like any other live stock. But modern economy has shown that it is cheaper to raise your live stock than to buy it. Big transportation companies have their own stock-farms, to raise mules, their own forests, to raise ties, and their own political nurseries, to raise politicians. Instead of buying these articles in the open market, they use those of their own production. It is cheaper, safer and surer. We had supposed this was Parker's method. He belongs to a regime which prefers it. It is, of course, an even more pernicious form of public corruption than the other. But is more gentlemanly and not so "raw."

Presumably Parker will prefer the public to believe him, not honest of course, but disheveled in the newer way. In that case, he will duly repeat this imputation of the older sort of dishonesty—the sort that there is a law against, and a penitentiary penalty for—and we may expect his accuser doubtless to write—a suit to bring out all the facts.

## PAYING THE BILLS

Whoever pays the bills of politics expects to control the governmental result. The American people are slowly finding that out, and they are even more slowly learning that if they expect to control their government, they must themselves pay the bills incident to its election.

Originally, the honest cost of running for office was small. The state paid the few expenses of the simple elections, and the candidate paid his own expenses, getting around to see the people. There was nothing else to pay. Finally, as expenses became larger, the candidates were "assessed" for the cost. Now the cost has become too great even for the candidate. When it costs \$50,000 to run for a \$2000 office, the candidate can not pay it. Yet it cost Charles M. Eickert at least that much to be elected District Attorney of San Francisco, and P. H. McCarthy visibly spent at least a hundred times the \$12 to which he swore. Somebody paid these huge sums. And that somebody will expect a greater voice than good citizenship permits in the conduct of those offices.

The latest idea is to democratize the financing of campaigns by having a fund subscribed to by very numerous persons, most of them contributing very small amounts. Los Angeles now has a good government fund, with a regular income of \$25,000 a year, which it is hoped soon to increase to \$50,000. This fund is in the hands of a board of trustees, and may be drawn on to finance any movement for better government which can convince those trustees that it is deserving of it. A movement will be started in San Francisco, this week, looking to a similar fund there, with an income of at least \$40,000 a year. Leading members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League are behind the movement, and it is to be hoped that it will be the precursor of a state fund, utilizable by the league or other reform movements, for the betterment of the state. There ought to be a good government fund in every considerable city in California, paying regularly a certain percentage of its income into a central state fund.

We may, eventually, come to collecting campaign funds as a public tax, in lieu of the poll tax. If every person had to pay \$1 a year, for the privilege of voting, with forfeiture of the franchise for five years for every neglect to vote, there would be abundant revenue for the legitimate expenses of all parties. The money of each person registering for the primaries might be turned over to the party to which primaries he announced his intention to vote, reserving the money of those not registering for any party primary to be turned into a general fund and equitably distributed. The scheme, like the postal primary, may or may not be workable. But if any one can devise the mechanism for working it, the idea is at least good.

Meantime there is nothing to rely on except private contributions to private funds, and, of the plans for collecting these, the good government fund, on the Los Angeles model, seems to offer the best promise.

## ANCIENT EXAMPLE

Evidently the alliance of the "higher-ups" and the "lower-downs," to degrade public life, is no new thing in the world. Aristotle, writing over two thousand years ago, of the dangers of the very rich and the very poor, in the government of a state, said:

"Such persons are apt in the first case to be guilty of insolence and criminality on a large scale, and in the second to become rogues and petty criminals. But all crimes are the result either of insolence or roguery, both of which are conditions prejudicial to the interests of states."—Politics, VI, 11.

"Insolence and roguery." The distinction is almost modern enough for Professor Ross. "Insolence"—the defiance of authority and law, the corruption of government; the arrogance of special privileges; the oppression of the weak; the exploitation of public power to private use; the whole class of crimes of the "higher-ups."

"Roguary"—drunkenness and debauchery; fighting and disorder; crimes of personal violence; burglary, robbery and swindling; assaults, mayhem and arson; the whole class of crimes of the "lower-downs."

Aristotle's remedy was the distinction of classes and the predominance of the middle class. Our remedy is the obliteration of classes and the rule of the whole people, under a polity which tends to make of the whole people predominantly a middle class, of settled citizens, above rogues and vagabonds, and below plutocrats and oligarchs. It all comes to the same thing. And it means that human nature, at least in free countries, has not changed much in two thousand years.

## VICTOR HUGO'S SUPERSTITION.

An amusing story of Victor Hugo is related in a French contemporary. The poet had accepted an invitation to dine at the house of one of those ardent Republicans who at the time were widely termed "les perruches rouges."

The dinner hour had passed some time without any announcement that the dinner was served, with a note of the company, a friend of Victor Hugo, inquired of the hostess the cause of the delay. The latter explained that owing to one of the guests having sent an excuse at the last moment there would be thirteen instead of fourteen at the table, so she had to find another to make the fourteenth.

A moment later the same individual was conversing with Victor Hugo. "Do you know why we are waiting?" asked the poet. "Yes," was the reply; "some insects are afraid to sit at table when there are thirteen." Victor Hugo in a solemn and severe tone replied: "Time, because of mol."—From the London Globe.

## BRIEF EDITORIAL FANCIES SELECTED

### That Race Track Betting Decision

The New York decision on oral race track betting may be a faint victory for the racing interests, though this remains to be seen. As to just how it will affect betting at the Emeryville track is not yet determined. The Alameda county authorities are disposed of, and that there is still sufficient legal ground on which to make a fight to stop any and all sorts, kinds and systems of wagering at the coming Emeryville meet.

The most important matter of the betting business, however, is not the money bet at the tracks but the money "placed" in thousands of cigar stores, barber shops and obscure pool-rooms all over the state. The limitations of betting, as the law now stands, even if betting is not eliminated entirely, will probably be a bar against the 25 cent, 50 cent and even the \$1 bet, which the minor race track "books" formerly hung up daily with some man in nearly all towns where a general interest in racing existed. The "fix" was a hot spot, and in this form of moral destruction it will have achieved a magnificent victory. The man who goes to the track to bet must buy his way in and have some other money. The man, generally the boy, with a couple of dollars, or even a couple of dollars, will not be found wagering his money if the small "books" operating independently of the race track ring, are barred from business by the new statute. It would be best, of course, if all betting was ended but failing to prohibit race track wagers of any kind, a splendid achievement will still remain if the "penny ante" betters are shut off from placing their little sums daily on the performance of the horses.—Alameda Times-Star.

### Gilder Post

As a writer and an editor, by his own performances and by his generous and constant encouragement of other authors Richard Watson Gilder deserved well of the world of letters. And he was much more than a poet. He stood in no charmed isolation, a mere dreamer and a seeker of beauty, aloof from the business and unclouded by the interests of the mass of men. He was a patriot and a servant of the community all his active life. Just as much as when he shouldered a gun in 1893, what he brought about as president of the Tenement House Commission is in itself a sufficient title to lasting public gratitude and in many other ways he acted with a certain modest efficiency characteristic of him for the good of the city. He was a Democrat of a type not now too common, a close friend of Grover Cleveland and one of the last of his various revivals has been his portrait of that rugged and powerful character.—New York Sun.

## SOLDIERS LAND ON NICARAGUAN SHORE

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### SECRET ORDERS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—If secret orders have been issued to the army transports Logan, Crook and Buford at San Francisco, as has been reported, to prepare for immediate departure for Nicaragua, the orders were issued without the knowledge or authority of the secretary of war.

Such was the statement made at the War Department today.

Other officials of the department deny that they conveyed any other movement for the transports than the troops to the Orient—in connection with the annual transfer of troops to and from the Philippines.

The navy is waiting on the State Department. That accounts for the decision over the date of the sailing of the fleet from Philadelphia, with the 400 marines for the isthmus of Panama, and possibly for services in Nicaragua.

### AT MAGDALENA BAY.

The Albany and Yorktown are still held in Magdalena Bay awaiting developments in Central America. The Tacoma, Marlette and Des Moines are in the vicinity of Port Limon, Costa Rica, just waiting. So in the Victoria at Corinto, Nicaragua.

As long as there is a possibility of marines being needed in Nicaragua, the Pacific will remain at League Island, and the Pacific will not sail until after December 3rd, the original date set for her departure for Panama, with marines for duty there.

The Navy department has adopted this course as it is able to take 500 marines to Nicaragua from the United States proper in event they are needed in Nicaragua.

The battalion of marines to be sent to Panama numbers about 400.

The arrival today or tomorrow of the Missouri at Hampton Roads from New York will be watched closely because of the rumor that she is to be sent to Central America. Intention of sending her on such a cruise is denied at the Navy Department, however.

### WORD FROM CALDERA.

There is reason to believe that the State Department at last has received a communication from Caldera, American vice consul at Managua, but the contents of his message so far have been kept a secret and if the department has received anything from Nicaragua recently of an important character it is likewise being withheld.

The report that the United States is in communication with President Diaz of Mexico with reference to some joint action in the Nicaraguan situation is discredited in some quarters but nevertheless there is reason to believe that telegrams relating to Nicaragua are passing between the two governments. It was at the department that it was extremely unlikely that any official announcement of importance concerning Nicaragua would be made earlier than Sunday night or Monday morning. This is assumed to indicate that matters of consequence are under consideration which may be expected to culminate about that time.

RUMORS NOT CREDITED.  
Reports which have been current from Nicaragua by way of New Orleans that General Caldera, the consul of the United States at Managua, the capital of Nicaragua, has been imprisoned or suffered violence at the hands of President Zelaya, are given no credence here.

Caldera, who is a Nicaraguan by birth but a citizen of the United States by naturalization, is the highest diplomatic representative of the United States at present in Nicaragua. It is upon him that the State Department is relying for reports of the situation of affairs in Nicaragua or damages to American interests there.

FOUNTAIN SPRINGES.  
Recently five cents to \$3.50, fresh stock. Baker & Colson Drug Co.

## SEMINOLE TRIBESMEN STILL LIVE IN THE EVERGLADES OF FLORIDA

A report comes from Florida that the last survivors of the Seminole tribe, headed by Chief Tiger Tail, will soon remove to Oklahoma, going upon the Seminole reservation in that state and abandoning the Everglades, where they were born and where their fathers fought so well.

While there may be some little truth in the report, it is hard to figure out where the Florida Seminoles would gain anything by making such a transfer. For one thing, the Seminole reservation in Oklahoma has been allotted and subdivided, the lands not taken for members of the tribe have been bought by white men, and there would be no place to put Tiger Tail's people if they went.

Then, again, why should the free and happy followers of Tiger Tail even think of going to a crowded state, among the whites, with no means of making a livelihood, no chance of doing anything but struggle along and being conditioned and starved? The Florida Seminoles would be hugely foolish to make the shift, and their better sense will probably keep them where they are.

Tiger Tail's band of Seminoles leads the most comfortable and free life imaginable. Right there in Florida, close to the winter resorts and the hum of civilized existence, they carry on their hunting and their forest roving exactly as they did 100 years ago. They are well the best of the wildest sort, and yet are wholly harmless. The vast swamps of the Everglades house them well, they interfere with nobody, and should be left alone to adorn the landscape and add color to the picture.

To this very day little is known of the Everglades. Swamp, hammocks, jungles, and waterways, they lie in silent splendor, a picture of green and blue, untraveled by the white man, and unspoiled by civilization. The Seminoles Tiger Tail's men go and come in their canoes, gliding up and down the waterways, finding their road amid the saw grass and the jungle lanes, never setting foot on the land, and never doing harm to anybody. Without them many an adventurous hunter and feckless tourist would die an awful death amid the

solitudes. It often keeps Tiger Tail's folk busy fishing turtles out of the swamp, and there has never been a case where the Seminoles robbed the lost traveler, mistreated him or failed to bring him to their camps with royal hospitality.

The number of Tiger Tail's people has never been known.

Floridians think about 400 Seminoles live in the swamps, the number increasing but little, certainly not diminishing. They are full-blooded, clad in the cool and comfortable Indian dress of the Southern tribes, well-armed, intelligent and good-looking.

When Osceola stirred the Seminoles to war in 1835 they numbered about 2,000. In seven years of fighting, the Government caught and sent West 1,525 of the tribe, while the death list of soldiers totaled 1,466. Add to this the indifference of the citizens who were slain, and it will be seen that the balance was much in favor of the red men. In 1842 it was supposed that only 316 Seminoles were left, and these were allowed to stay in the swampy Everglades. A few years later these went on the warpath and soon fifty or sixty were caught and sent to Indian Territory. Ever since the tribe has lived its strange existence in the swamps and has behaved like a set of gentlemen and good fellows.

Some of the Seminoles who went West, headed by Geronimo, a wonderful warrior, broke away and fled to Mexico, where a few of them yet remain. The rest stayed on the reserve, learned the arts of peace, and intermarried with the white men. When their hands were allotted a couple of years ago, they numbered—full and mixed-blood—together about 2,500. They are well-educated, hardly distinguishable from the whites around them, and have only language and traditions to link them with the primitive hunters of the Everglades.

Common sense would dictate that the Seminoles may where they are. They are in no one's way, and in fact, can be made valuable in the exploration and settling of Southern Florida, while their honesty, good nature and wonderful knowledge of the swamps and jungles ought to make them indispensable.—New York Telegraph.

## VIEW OF CARDINAL GIBBONS IN HIS BALTIMORE HOME

Cardinal Gibbons—the only cardinal in America and head of the Catholic church in this country—is the subject of an interesting sketch by H. L. Mencklen in the December American Magazine. Mr. Mencklen says:

"Baltimore is one of the few American cities still old-fashioned enough to have a fashionable promenade. It runs over the steep hills of ancient Charles Street, from the big shops at Lexington Street, past old St. Paul's, the Walters art gallery and the Washington monument to the northern region of apartment houses and clubs. There the smart folks of afternoon—pretty little debutantes with tulle on their noses, stout old ladies with dogs, dashing young hussies with rolling eyes, and men of money from South street on their way to the Maryland Club. And there, too, he takes four and five, rain or shine, winter or summer, you will see a spare, tall old gentleman in a straggled silk hat, with a touch of scarlet under his brim—twist, James Cardinal Gibbons, the reigning churchman of the United States, and peer, by the law of the Holy Roman Empire, of princes of the blood.

"To Cardinal Gibbons that daily walk is the most welcome, if not the most important, act of life. It is not merely a stroll, but a vigorous, swinging walk. It takes him some days far out Charles street to Mt. Royal avenue, with its string of monuments, and even to Druid Hill park. The appalling mass of Charles street—it hasn't a foot of level ground in

two miles—do not worry him. He takes them at a long, easy stride, brushing through the crowd of shop-pers, idlers and dandies, and holding his pace steadily until his four or five miles have been accomplished. Now and then you will see a visiting bishop at his side, panting breathlessly up the hills, but more often he is alone. Publicans and sinners pass him the time of day, policemen salute; a friend drops into a step for a block or two. The greater the crowd the better he seems to like it.

"The cardinal was seventy-five last July, but there is still many a hard day's work in him.

"Dinner-time at the cardinal's house comes shortly after noon. There is a good cook downstairs, and the chance guest enjoys the meal as well as the company, but the head of the house himself is no epicure. The delicacies of which Baltimore boasts—the terrapin, the wild duck, the soft crabs, and so on—are seldom on his plate. Simple roast content him, with baked apple to follow as dessert. In the matter of drinkables, his choice is buttermilk. He drinks it daily, and he agrees with Professor Metchnikoff that it makes the old feel young. But the Cardinal is no right ascetic. On occasion he is not averse to a glass of white wine. "Walking is his tonic. Let him have his daily tramp and he is content. When he faces a city trip beyond walking distance, he telephones for a very stable chair, or for a public hackney coach. He is the only archbishop in the world who has no carriage of his own."

## FIFTEEN THOUSAND MEXICANS SENT INTO SLAVE HOLE YEARLY

After one reads and realizes the atrocities that are being carried on in Mexico in connection with the slave trade that is all too openly sanctioned by the corrupt government, it is difficult not to understand why an uprising of the enslaved peons or at least the escape of many of them from their brutal captivity does not break out with more frequency. Turner, writing in the December American Magazine, explains how this is impossible, at least in the worst slave hole in Mexico, Valle Nacional, where almost 15,000 slaves are imported every year. He says:

"The coast of the slaves of Valle Nacional is fairly geographical. The part of Valle Nacional where the plantations are in a deep gorge from two to five miles wide and twenty miles long tucked away among almost impenetrable mountains. The nearest railroad station is at a distance of fifty miles above El Hule, the nearest railroad station, yet it is through El Hule that every Mexican slave must pass in going to or coming from the valley. They go either route in an old-fashioned mule train, or on foot, and the magnificent tropical mountains which

wall in the valley are covered with an impenetrable jungle, made still more impassable by jaguars, pumas and gigantic snakes. Moreover, there is no wagon road to Valle Nacional; only a river and a bridge path—a bridge path which carries one now through the jungle, now along precipitous cliffs where the rider must dismount and crawl, leading his horse behind him, now across the deep swirling current of the river.

Valle Nacional is three days' journey from Cordoba, two and one-quarter days from El Hule. No one ever goes to Valle Nacional who has not business there. It is a lonely country, the most noted in Mexico, and the production is chiefly carried on by about thirty large plantations, then dotted and scattered almost exclusively by Spaniards, who also handle the tobacco of the small farmer. The towns in the valley provide policemen to hunt runaway slaves, not one of whom can get out of the valley without passing through them. Every runaway slave brings a reward of \$10 to the man or policeman who catches and returns him to his owner."

## THE PIE STRIKE.

No longer bright and spicy  
My daily tea I grabble.  
Perhaps you wonder why?  
No sign of apple.

At eventide I'm said,  
I've been unhappy since  
For dinner I've not had  
A slice of nutmeg.

I used to sing and dance  
Now I'm too flustered,  
Too disheartened, sans  
Strip of custard.

Last week the rumor ran—  
How do they start?  
That some one saw a cran-  
berry tart.

And well I know the season  
Is near or else I'm sunk in—

Shall I retain my reason?  
For "pumpkin."

The supply  
Is 25,000 daily shoy!  
\$50,000 slabs of pie,  
\$50,000 men awry.  
Many others forced to buy  
Stuff that can't probe an alibi.  
And the end not night!

—New York Sun.

If you want fit, finish and class in your  
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## Christmas Gifts

Perhaps you would like to send something to relatives in Denmark, Russia, Germany, England or Armenia?

A FOREIGN CHECK mailed now, would reach them in time for the Christmas cheer.

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An expression which has come to the slang stage. It is the real reason for the success of most people though. Just so is your Christmas shopping. "Do it now."

Especially should you attend to those items which you are to send "back East" or to the "Old Country."

Our stock comprises numberless small things that can be easily, safely and inexpensively sent any distance.

Gold and silver wares, precious stones (including many native California gems), fine watches, leather and art goods, umbrellas, novelties, etc.

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Have you ever stopped to think "What is the cause?"

You feel this way most when you have been on your feet most, the days when you have stood or walked a good deal.

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Let us fit you in the Red Cross Shoe. It entirely prevents the burning, drawing and aching that stiff soles cause. It is wonderful how it saves your strength.

Tanned by the special Red Cross process, the sole is flexible, it bends with your foot, relieves all the pressure on the delicate nerves and tendons, giving a feeling of freedom, ease and comfort found in no other shoe.

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## CLOVIS LIBRARY BOARD TO MEET

Association to Hold Its Annual Session.

Man Kicked in Head By Mule Is in Very Serious Condition.

CLOVIS, Nov. 27.—The Clovis Public Library Association will hold its annual meeting at Good's Hall, Tuesday evening, November 30, when the following program will be carried out: Music (a) The Old Guard, (b) The Lost Chord, High school, invocation, H. H. Baker, music (a) Anvil Chorus, (b) God Guard Columbia, Jefferson school, music (a) Fanny, (b) Wake, Ye Woodland Echoes, Clovis Grammar school, reports of officers of Library Association, music, Harvest Home, orchestra, five-minute talks on the library—The Public Library, a Public Necessity, Rev. Russell, The Mission of the Book, Rev. Quay, music, A Red, Red Rose.

(Hastings) Miss Catherine Shortridge, The Library and the Boy, Rev. Cook, The Book a Mirror, Rev. Hughes, music, violin and cornet duet, Intermezzo, Miss Whiting and Mr. Harwell. The library the Social Center, music, piano, by Mr. Heber, orchestra, Polonaise, Triumphant, orchestra, Selection of officers, American, by audience.

A 6 o'clock supper will be served by the entertainment committee and the public is invited to come out in force and help the library financially.

Owing to preparations for Thanksgiving the ladies of Atlanta Circle, L. of G. A. J. C., did not hold their regular meeting last Wednesday. A meeting is called by the president for next Wednesday. Mrs. A. V. Parker will be present to inspect the circle and it is hoped that all the members will be present.

Henry F. Good and Miss Effa Breeze were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother at 9 a. m. on Thanksgiving Day. They took the noon train for San Francisco for their honeymoon trip. On their return they will commence housekeeping in their beautiful new bungalow at the corner of Fourth street and Harvard avenue. The good wishes of many friends follow the popular young couple and the will be gladly welcomed on their return.

Another happy wedding of Thursday was that of Bert E. Woodard and Nellie Findley, two well-known and popular young people of Garfield. The public schools celebrated the Thanksgiving idea very extensively in fitting exercises on Wednesday afternoon. The decorated invitations issued by the Garfield pupils were original and unique and showed much skill. Their exercises were exceedingly interesting, as were those at the Clovis Grammar school and at the Jefferson school. In songs presented by the pupils quite themselves well.

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## FARMERS TO MEET AT DINUBA, DEC. 8

Interest Shown in Annual Institute.

Two Weddings in One Week Startle the Dinuba Citizens.

DINUBA, Nov. 27.—On the morning of Wednesday, December 1, the Farmers' Institute, under the direction of the Department of Agriculture of the University of California, will open in the local hall. The institute will last one day, with morning and afternoon sessions. Among the speakers will be Professor Warren T. Clarke of the state university, W. R. McIntosh and Mrs. M. E. Sherman of Fresno. The program follows:

Morning Session, Wednesday, December 1, 8 to 9:45—Present Day Insect Problems, by Professor Warren T. Clarke, 9:45 to 10:15—Questions and discussion, 10:15 to 10:45—Planting and Care of Vineyards, by Mrs. M. E. Sherman, 10:45 to 11:15—Questions and discussion, 11:15 to 11:45—How to Make Poultry Pay, by W. R. McIntosh, 11:45 to 12:15—Questions and discussion, 12:15 to 1:15—Luncheon, 1:15 to 2:15—Afternoon Session, 2:15 to 2:45—Spraying to Control Insect Pests and Fungus Diseases, by Professor W. T. Clarke, 2:45 to 3:15—How to Increase the Yield of Alfalfa, by Mrs. M. E. Sherman, 3:15 to 3:45—Planting and Care of the Young Orchard, by Professor W. T. Clarke, 3:45 to 4:15—Good Roads for Everybody, by W. R. McIntosh, 4:15 to 4:45—Adjournment, 4:45 to 5:15—The grammar school of Dinuba gave a very attractive entertainment at the school house on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Thanksgiving. Great credit is due the teachers for the way they trained their pupils.

The friends of J. N. Parlier will be glad to hear that he is improving in health since going to San Francisco. He has gained 10 pounds in the past two weeks.

Arthur Zeatz, engineer at the Parlier winery, and Miss L. M. McDonald of Clovis, Ark., were married in Bakersfield November 19. After the ceremony the couple started for Parlier where they will reside for the present.

A. L. Bushong, the A. H. S. H. agent, and Miss Joan Hopkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hopkins, celebrated Thanksgiving by ending the two names no more. The couple are now in Tubers visiting friends and relatives. They will return to Parlier tomorrow. Mr. Bushong will resume his duties on or about December 1.

The Misses Ann Johnson, Grace Tabler and Elsie Parlier spent Saturday in Berkeley shopping. Miss Elsie remained to visit with relatives over Sunday.

Ray Traber, manager of the local packing house of the Griffin and Sholey company, has returned from the springs. He is much improved in health.

# THE FIRST DAY OF Hogg's FIRST BIG Sale

Was a Most Phenomenal Success  
New Seasonable Goods at Bonafide Reductions Can Easily be Segregated From Last Season's Styles so Often Offered by Some Stores.

The truly remarkable success that marked our first great sale is gratifying to us beyond all measure. It merely goes to prove that when a store gives a sale that is genuine it will be fully appreciated and well attended. To the many customers we were unable to properly serve we apologize and assure them that we will serve them better Monday. The same remarkable reductions will remain in force the next few days.

We want you all to particularly note that this sale is:

Not a Matter of Choice But a Necessity to Close Out Our Stock on Hand and Make Room for the Hundreds of New Garments Now Enroute

When we started this new store, our buyer placed orders for hundreds of new garments to be shipped to us at the rate of from 25 to 50 garments every week. We figured that in this way we would always be showing the very latest and best styles almost as soon as they were created.

While we have done a very satisfactory business, we find that under the present conditions we will be greatly overstocked within the next thirty days. This, of course, must be avoided, no matter what the loss to us may be. Of course, we could cancel these advance orders, but we would have to break our word with the manufacturers.

To avoid and correct these conditions, we have decided to reduce the prices on nearly everything in this entire store; in fact, we have made the prices so low that they will immediately demand your attention.

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It is less than four weeks to Christmas and time to be sending remembrances to the far away ones

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THE POST CARDS ARE THE PRETTIEST, THE BOOKLETS THE NEATEST, THE CALENDARS THE MOST ARTISTIC, THE SEALS, TAGS, ETC., THE NICEST I HAVE EVER OFFERED.

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## MATTRESSES \$1.75 to \$18.00

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Cotton Combination Mattresses	\$3.50 to \$8.50
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Silk Floss Mattresses	\$7.50 to \$16.00
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The Sealy Mattress is made of pure white Texas cotton and guaranteed for 20 years not to lump or become hard. Call and see them.

Also a fine line of furniture at money saving prices.

**J. D. FISHER**  
1137 I STREET.

## WHAT IT MEANS

Many people do not know what a bank's capital is for, or the difference between a bank of little or no capital and one with a large capital.

## A Bank's Capital

is the fund that protects the depositors from loss; therefore the larger it is the greater protection the depositor has. This bank has a

Capital fully paid	\$500,000.00
Shareholders' liability	\$500,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	\$205,312.42

This protection is for YOU. When you think "Bank" think "First National."

**The First National Bank OF FRESNO**  
UNITED STATES DEPOSITARY

O. J. WOODWARD, President.	E. A. WALROND, Cashier.
ROY PULLIAM, Asst. Cashier.	F. A. MAUL, Asst. Cashier.

## MRS. JACOBS NOT AWARE OF TRAGEDY

Injured Woman Is Kept Ignorant of Death of Husband and Four Children.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 25.—Little hope is held out for the recovery of the baby daughter of Nicholas Jacobs, but the condition of Mrs. Jacobs tonight leads the physicians in attendance to hope that she may survive the injuries she received when the automobile in which the Jacobs family was returning from a Thanksgiving dinner was struck by a trolley car.

Mrs. Jacobs is being kept in ignorance of the fact that her husband, two of her daughters and two of her sons were killed in the accident. An investigation of the affair will be made by a coroner's jury tomorrow.

## IN THE LODGE ROOM.

REDMEN TO ENTERTAIN

Next Tuesday evening Philadelphus Tribe No. 14, L. R. B., will entertain and cordially invite the officers for the ensuing term. Some interest is expected to be shown in the election of officers for this term and the tribe urges all of the members to be present.

After the business of the council is finished a big joint social will be held between the tribe and Navajo Council No. 61. Splendid entertainment has been provided of a musical nature and card playing and dancing will furnish amusement. Refreshments will be served. Members and their families of both branches of the order are invited to attend.

## REBEKAH DANCE

Fresno Rebekah lodge held a short business session last evening and pending plans for officers were made. One application for membership was received and two candidates were elected.

After lodge closed a large crowd enjoyed the masquerade dance. Ray Frans and Ivy Butterlich received prizes for the best sustained character, and Lena Wilber and James Brachbury for the most original ones. Next Saturday there will be election of officers, also initiation of several candidates.

## LOG RAFTS ARE SWEPT TO SEA

PORTLAND, Nov. 26.—The crest of the high water which has existed in the Willamette valley for the last week as the result of unusually heavy fall rains will pass into the Columbia river today and eventually find its way to the ocean.

Unable to withstand the strain of the ever-availing flood longer, the five log rafts anchored just above the Madison street bridge, swept down the river with terrific speed, tearing small craft from their moorings, carrying away everything movable lying in their path, and with a maddening roar crashed into a boom near Vancouver and set adrift twenty-nine mammoth log rafts containing from ten million to twelve million feet of lumber. If not recovered, the logs will entail a loss of \$125,000.

## \$100,000 IS WANTED FOR CHERRY ORPHANS

INDIANAPOLIS, November 27.—The United Methodist Workers of America will attempt to raise \$100,000 as a permanent relief fund for the widows and orphans of the victims of the Cherry, Ill., mine disaster. It was announced today.

President Lewis estimates that 1,000 children have been made homeless. While the Red Cross Society is attending to the immediate needs of the believes a fund should be raised for the care of the children in the future.

It is the plan, Mr. Lewis says, to have the fund held in trust by the committee for the benefit of Cherry widows and orphans.

## JUDGE LOVETT SEES SEATTLE TERMINAL

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The question whether unemployment exists in New York is the latest matter to occupy the London newspapers in their discussions of the budget.

One free trade organ quotes a writer to the effect that there are two hundred thousand unemployed in that city. A tariff reform paper is denying this contention, but a statement from Patrick J. McGowan, president of the board of aldermen of New York city, which said: "Practically speaking, there is no unemployment at the present time in New York."

Tariff reformers contend that the adoption of their policy will serve to relieve the industrial tension here.

## POSTMASTER INDICTED

BALTIMORE, CITY, Nov. 26.—Following a grand jury indictment in three counts, charging him with rifling mail and destroying government property, the Federal authorities in this city caused the arrest today of Frank Hanson, former postmaster of Baltimore, Md.

United States Commissioner Baldwin, before whom Hanson was arraigned, fixed bail bonds at \$500, which the ex-postmaster furnished.

## CONVICTED OF MURDER OF SIX VICTIMS

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 27.—Howard Little, charged with the murder of Mrs. Betty Justice, George Meadows, his wife and three members of his family, was found guilty of murder in the first degree today.

He was sentenced to be electrocuted in Richmond, January 7th.

The murder occurred at Hurley, Buchanan county, and the bodies of the victims were burned.

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Gold	Silver
LAVALLIERS	TOILET SETS
NECK CHAINS	MANICURING SETS
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ENAMEL LOCKETS	CIGARETTE CASES
ENAMEL CHAINS TO MATCH	CIGAR CASES
BRACELETS	CARD CASES
DIAMOND RINGS	MESH BAGS
BANQUET RINGS	PURSES
WATCHES	KNIVES
UMBRELLAS	CIGAR CUTTERS
HAT PINS	TIE CLASPS
TIE CLASPS	SHAVING SETS

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**\$4.95 Silk Petticoats**  
**\$3.48**

A splendid quality taffeta in all the leading shades; has practical tailored flounce with cotton underfuffles.

It's the big money saving event of the fall Campaign—timed to meet the wants of many women, it offers good substantial reductions when the demand for winter garments is at its height. Look For The Green Tags—Note the saving.

Every Green Tag means a lower price and nearly every garment bears a green ticket, you can see the regular price on the white ticket and note your saving by the green ticket.

**\$4.95 Dresden Petticoats**  
**\$4.50**

Nice new patterns in flowered taffeta in all the leading shades; in much prevailing styles in gowns and suits.

## Hundreds of New and Commanding Styles in Women's Outer Garments Now Radically Reduced



**\$15 Tailored Suits \$9.95**

They're in sizes mostly suited to small women and young girls. They're in broad-cloth and stripe worsteds.

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Newest models in long coats; also a line of fancy or semi-dress tailored ideas; all the staples as well as leading colors.



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Novelty dresses in a number of pretty individual styles; no two alike; serges and worsteds and diagonals.



**\$10 Rain Coats \$8.50**

Rubberized garments, in full length; fine for traveling or utility use; water can't go through them.

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These are full length rubberized silk in pretty two tone effects, also a nice lot of watered or moire effects.



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Small women's and girls' black melton coats, in a nice attractive model.

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They're attractive new models in full length kersey for small women and girls.

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Women's fine black coats with full lining; long lengths; button trimmed.

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We'll not attempt description on these fine dresses, suffice to say that every one shows a marked reduction from regular prices. Each green tag shows you what you save.

### Now Is the Time to Make the Fur Fly



**\$10 Fox Scarfs \$6.95**  
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Pillow and rug effects; a splendid fur for this low price.

**\$15.00 Black Lynx \$11.50**

Imitation of the "fine Lynx," has a very high bustle and looks near Lynx as anything you can find.

**\$25.00 Jap Mink Sets \$19.50**

Rug muff with four animals; scarf has six animals; finished with cluster tails.

**\$1.25 White Waists 89c**

Nicely tailored starched collars; cuffs; narrow plaits.

**\$1.50 White Waists \$1.15**

Plain tailored waists with laundered collar and cuffs; either in plain or cross "bar" line.

**\$2.00 Linen Waists \$1.28**

Pure linen tailored; large pearl buttons; narrow plaits; laundered collar; cuffs.

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Bernard suits are made from imported cloths; the tailoring is perfection; they've a distinguished air that no other tailored suit possesses. Green tags show plainly what you save.

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Pretty lace waists; two styles, with an all-over effect or a plain net work with two Venice birds down front.

**\$7.50 Chiffon Waists \$5.95**

Women want chiffon waists that match the suit—we have some mighty clever styles now on sale.

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Black Taffeta with narrow pin tucks on yoke; button back.

**\$7 Messaline Waists \$4.50**

Solid colors, such as rose, green, navy, black, in a pretty tailored style.

### Sharp Reductions in Women's Hats

Green Tag prices prevail on many of the fine hats and each green tag bears a substantial cut.

Now would be the opportunity for you to save—for the season has only just commenced.

**\$1.50 Children's Fells \$1.18**

**\$2.00 Children's Fells \$1.38**

**\$3.00 Children's Fells \$2.48**

#### Fur Turbans

**\$3.95 Turbans \$3.45**

**\$4.50 Turbans \$3.95**

**\$5.00 Turbans \$4.25**



### Children's Coats at Green Tag Prices

which plainly shows the character of the reductions on all lines of winter garments.

**Child's Bear Skin Coat in all colors except white \$2.95**

**Child's White Curly Bear Skin Coats \$1.85**

**Girl's Reefer Coats; Piccadilly styles, chevron sleeve; smartly tailored \$3.95**



### Women's and Girls' Sweaters

as scarce as scarce can be yet in accordance to our usual plan at these Green Tag sales we offer hundreds of fine wool garments so that you can save considerable.

**\$8.50 High Grade Sweaters \$6.38**

**\$2.95 Sweater Coats \$2.48**

Women and Young Girls can find sizes and colors in this lot to meet all requirements; plain V-neck stitch; two pockets; collarless.

**\$5.00 Wool Coats \$4.68**

They're a popular style; buttons on side, in Oxford and wine, white with blue, wine and white.

**\$4.38 Sweater Coats \$3.89**

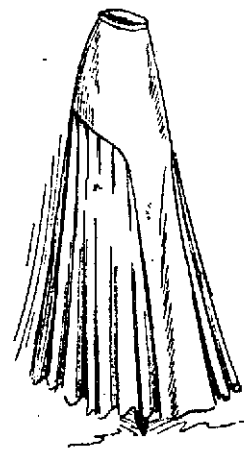
Double breasted; rope stitch pattern; two pockets; collarless; color wine, gray, white.

**\$3.50 Sweaters \$2.95**

Gray Wool; single breasted; two pockets; rope stitch pattern.



### Women's Skirts Remarkable Reductions



Skirts that are marked at \$5 and \$6, odds and ends, are now marked at \$2.95. Alterations extra.

Skirts that sell regularly at \$7, \$7.50 and \$10 are reduced as follows: \$5.50, \$6.00, \$8.50. Alterations extra.

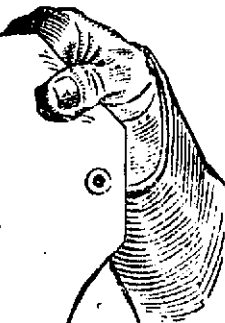
#### Women's Voile Skirts

**\$7.50 Altman voile \$6.45.**

Nicely plaited from knee down; button trimmed.

**\$1.50 Long Kimonos 85c**

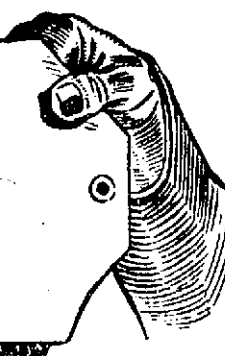
Women's Flannelette Kimonos, in a nice range of patterns; full length; generously cut.



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**\$1.50 Sateen Skirts \$1.18**

Sateen like feather silk with a wide embroidered dust ruffle.





## NO DANCE HALLS IN PORTERVILLE

Effort to Re-open Given  
Set Back.

Unique Orange Exhibit Is  
to Be Made at Lindsay  
Citrus Fair.

PORTERVILLE, Nov. 27.—An attempt to re-open a dance hall in this city has been stopped by the police officers. Some days ago Al Hayden, formerly a foreman in a local planning mill, and said to have been connected with several dances in his younger days, informed the city marshal that he wished to rent a vacant dance hall in the former disreputable quarter, and wished, with the permission of the city officers, to give public dances there twice a week. It was stipulated that an officer was to be appointed to see that "everything was perfectly legal." Hayden was told to go ahead, for if everything was "perfectly legal" there could have been no objection offered by any one. In the meantime Hayden had changed his plans and decided to start his enterprises just to the south of the city limits. Sheriff Collins sent word to Hayden that his occupancy of the place

for any sort of a road-house would cause his arrest. Hayden canceled the lease. The Tulare County Sheriff's Exchange, whose headquarters are in this city, has just paid the first reward of the season for the arrest and conviction of an individual for stealing fruit from orchards belonging to members of the exchange. This reward was paid to a constable who arrested an offender in Lemon Grove and so successfully prosecuted the case that the limit of the fine was assessed against the guilty party. The name of the offender was not named, as this is not made a part of the exchange records. Last night at the opera house was given the first concert of the "Lambert Club of this city in an amateur production of "The Girl in the Green Velvet." The cast included a number of socially prominent people, the proceeds amounting to \$22.50, going to the treasury of St. John's Episcopal church. The cast of characters included: Messrs. Will Freeman, W. W. George, Leslie McArthur, W. L. Lacey, J. A. Ulmer, Charles Prentiss, Obed Carr, Mrs. J. W. Carr, Mrs. W. E. Spratt, Miss Eza Sarthorn, Miss Nora Dickinson, Mrs. J. P. Coffey, Miss Bernice Hayes, Mrs. J. A. Ulmer. The performance was a consistently good one, played to a crowded house. The young people have been coached for the work by J. O'Hollity, a former member of Florence Roberts' company. There is now in the hands of the city attorney for preparation and submission to the city council on their next meeting night, Monday, November 29th, an ordinance calling for an election to decide upon a bond issue, the proceeds of which are to be used for extensions in and additions to the fire department. The orders for the ordinance were given by the fire committee of the city council, Messrs. Hanson, Barber and Howell, and it is under

stood that it is slated for immediate passage by a unanimous vote. It has not as yet been definitely decided what amount will be called for, but it will be either \$10,000 or \$20,000. This amount, if it can be raised, will be used in the erection of three more stations, including a new one to house the new apparatus, including an auto engine for the south side. Public sentiment is said to be in favor of the ordinance. Committees in charge of the installation of the exhibit for the citrus fair at Dinuba have completed their labors and the fruit and booth in which it is to be on display are to be sent to Dinuba today. Each chairman of the committee, is in Dinuba looking after the installation and will remain there until after the fair has opened. The exhibit booth this year is to be something entirely new. It is to be in the form of a huge clock, built on a base about three feet in height and both base and clock completely covered with oranges. Huge hands are to be worked with electricity, moving the approximate time upon hours marked upon the dial with colored fruit. Each time a five-minute move is made by the clock, a gong will sound and in the base of the clock an illuminated sign will appear, bearing a series of mottoes, such as "Time to Move to Porterville." Fruit which has been gathered this year by the committee for the exhibit proper is said to have been the best yet shown at these exhibitions and those in charge are confident that the first prize will come to Porterville when the exhibits close.

George D. Heisley, formerly in charge of the art department of one of the leading Eastern papers, lately a cartoonist for the Chicago Tribune and other papers of national reputation, is here from Los Angeles getting material for an illustrated article about the Porterville orange district. It is to be done for Out West of Los Angeles. Mr. Heisley states that the periodical is to be taken over by Hearst after the first of the year. Miss Helen Hearty was the hostess at her beautiful new home on Morton street last evening at a house-warming party, at which the guest of honor was Miss Helen Jones, who is at home from Berkeley on her Thanksgiving vacation. Dancing was the amusement of the evening after a bountiful and well-appointed supper. Porterville's football huckles are not at all satisfied with the showing that was made in the league chided this year, and in view of the fact that the High school lads have been scored against except with the instance when Bakersfield beat them 10 to 0, the first game of the season, they believe that Bakersfield will be easy for them now that they have had the added experience. It is understood that an attempt will be made to have a post-season series with games arranged with Fresno and Bakersfield, possibly also Visalia. It is thought here, in view of the fact that Porterville has beaten a team or two which has also beaten Fresno, that the Fresno manager and captain will revise their statement made earlier in the season when Porterville cancelled a game through illness of two members of the team, that the cancellation was by reason of "cold feet."

### SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

First Congregational church—Corner Tenth and K streets, pastor, Rev. Benjamin Gould. Sunday school at 8:45; services 11 and 7:30. Morning subject, "Prudence, the Comprehensive Mood of Worship;" evening subject, "Light Views of Wrong Doing." U. E. Society at 6:30.

Unitarian church—Tonight at the Parlor Lecture Club hall, 1350 K street, Rev. J. A. Cruzan will give the second lecture in his series on Evolution, subject, "How the Universe Was Made." In this lecture Mr. Cruzan will show the contradictions between the statements made in the Genesis legend and the known facts of science. At the close of the service free copies of Dr. Tug's paper on "Biblical Criticism" will be distributed.

Cumberland Presbyterian—Corner N and Tulare streets, Rev. Duncan Wallace, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; morning service at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Duty of Jesus Christ." Junior Endeavors at 3 p. m. Intermediate at 4 p. m. Y. P. S. E. at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30, subject of sermon, "For What Are You Thankful?"

United Brethren church—corner L and Merced streets, W. B. Gillespie, pastor. The theme of the morning sermon is "Getting What You Want," evening subject, "Jonah's Call." Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. E. at 6:30 p. m.

First Christian church—corner N and Mariposa streets, Rev. Ray O. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; morning service, 10:45, songs, prayers and sermon; evening service, 7:30, songs, prayers and sermon. Subjects discussed by Mr. Miller: "Thanksgiving Sermon," "Sermons in Stone."

First Methodist Episcopal church—corner Tenth and M streets, Rev. Charles Coke Wetzel, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At 11 o'clock the pastor will preach the fourth sermon in the series on "The Credibility of Christian Convictions." Class meeting at 12:30. Junior League at 3 p. m.; Intermediate League, 6:15; Epworth League, 6:45; preaching service, 7:30.

Cumberland Presbyterian church—W. L. Williams, pastor. Services at the lecture room of the Advent church, corner O and Mariposa streets. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. No evening service.

First Spiritualist church—Sunday service, 8 p. m., Church hall, 1035 K street. Questions answered from the audience. Messages by Mrs. Anna B. Griffin.

Swedish Lutheran church—corner Tenth and Yosemite streets, pastor, L. U. Dahlsten, residence, 331 N. Tenth street. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Confirmation class convenes at 8:30 a. m.

Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene—Evangelist C. R. Landman will begin a series of revival meetings at 8 p. m. today, to be continued indefinitely each night. Services will be held in the open door mission hall, corner Tulare and F streets.

St. Paul's Methodist church—corner Fresno and L streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Harold Harrell, theme, "The Transfiguration." At 7:30 p. m. there will be a sermon by N. P. Hoffpau. The Sunday school will hold its session at 9:15 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30, with a lecture on that subject, "Sermon on the Mount," which treats of the divorce question.

Swedish Mission church—corner of P and Silva streets, L. G. Borg, pastor. Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday evening preaching at 8 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Merced street, between J and K. Services at 11 a. m., subject of the lesson, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, or Mesmerism and Hypnotism." Sunday school, 9:30; testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The free reading room in the church building is open every day, except Sundays and legal holidays, from 12:30 to 6 p. m.

Organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Services in Church hall, 1139 I street. Sunday school at 9:45; preaching at 11 a. m. Our Saviors' Danish Lutheran church—J. Johansen, pastor. Services with Mrs. Anna B. Griffin.

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ORANGE ORCHARD  
YIELDS \$560 ACRE

N. W. Moody Makes Big Profit on 1908 Crop.

## Explosion of Engine in Gas Plant Severely Injures Workmen.

REEDLEY, Nov. 27.—N. W. Moody of the Glen Ellen orange and lemon grove near Reedley, reports a most remarkable return as the result of final sale of his 1908 citrus crop. Mr. Moody has twenty-three acres of well-matured citrus trees, and his sales amounted to \$16,000 over an expense of \$1,241, leaving him a net profit of \$14,759 or \$560 an acre. He has kept a strict account of all his expenditures, and has his receipts of sales to Fresno, Stockton and Sanger fruit companies, so there is no mistake about it. Moody's place is not for sale, as he prefers to reap the benefit of a few more such annual crops.

On Thursday afternoon at the local one plant, an engine being given its first tryout exploded. C. E. Newton and A. J. Thayer, who were working over it, were hurled across the room. Thayer escaped injury, but Newton was seriously injured. He was carried unconscious outside and helped by a neighbor. Later he was removed to the hotel, where Dr. Hawkins dressed his wounds. Beyond the shock and jar of the fall, he sustained only a few bad cuts and bruises.

A wedding was performed at 4 o'clock at the conclusion of the Thanksgiving morning mass, when Rev. George P. Seubert, according to the Catholic ritual united in marriage Thomas J. Segre, aged 25, and Miss Mary Segre, aged 24. Both young people have many friends in and about Reedley, and at the conclusion of the ceremony about seventy-five guests followed the wedding party to the Segre home south of town.

Here an elaborate dinner of some half-dozen turkeys were being prepared, and all the guests prepared for a full day's merriment. Many beautiful and humorous gifts were presented to the bride and groom, which will find a place in the newly home when they return from their brief honeymoon trip. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Segre, who are favorably known here and this is the first wedding in their family. Miss Mary Segre came from San Jose, where she is in school, and Tom Segre came up from Bakersfield, for the wedding. The groom's brother, C. B. Funk, who recently moved here from near Dinuba, is going into the real estate business with John A. Schumann, who has purchased the residence property of L. P. Bizzant, which his family is now occupying. Mr. Bizzant has moved his family temporarily into the Pinkerton house, but he will begin building soon. This is the third time Mr. Bizzant has built him a home in Reedley, having sold each of the others almost as soon as completed.

At the Methodist church Sunday morning, Rally Day services will combine the Sunday school and morning preaching hour with exercises beginning at 10 o'clock. Special music has been arranged for the occasion, and a great deal of interest is being manifested to make it a success. Claude and Earle Trembley are here for a Thanksgiving visit at the home of their parents. They will return to Madera on Monday.

A. J. Duff left yesterday morning with his son Robert to spend the winter and spring in southern California.

O. L. Grondorf is this week a Thanksgiving guest at the home of his cousin, A. H. Rohrer.

The new business residence of H. P. Robinson of the Carmelita district is about finished, and they expect to move in a few days.

Reedley's plans for an exhibit at the Dinuba fair next week are well under way. E. W. Crosby, J. C. McCubbin and J. M. Shaffer are the general working committee, and they are being assisted by a great many others who are determined to make the exhibit, and besides containing orchard and farm products will show a display of needlework and curios.

DINUBA IS READY  
FOR COMING FAIR

Novel and Beautiful Exhibits to Be Shown.

Farmers' Institute Sessions Are Being Well Attended.

DINUBA, Nov. 27.—The arrangements for the Tulare County Citrus Fair are fast drawing to an end, and the fair will open Monday morning as the best fair that has ever been given in the county. There are 15,000 square feet of floor space in the pavilion and every inch of this is being filled to overflowing with the exhibits. It was thought when the plans were being made for the fair that it would be a good one, but the exhibits have been pouring in beyond the fondest expectations of the management and the fair will be the best that has yet been given.

Preference is being given to an immense clock built of yellow oranges, and surrounded with quantities of the pretty fruit. Lindsay is building an exhibit with a sort of pagoda in the center and columns surrounding each arch to the center and all is in oranges. This is something rather elaborate. The Exeter exhibit is something novel and will be kept in motion. The oranges here are piled upon a central pyramid and the center is revolved constantly. The Visalia "elephant" is attracting much attention and promises to be one of the features of the "show." Reedley has an immense bank of oranges and lemons, and surrounding this is a view of the city and Kings river. Reedley will have a big display of the products of the place. Other attractive things in the fair is the Dinuba local exhibit, the exhibit of school work, and the large display of fancy needle work and art. This latter is unusually good this year. The citrus feature of the fair is, of course, stressed throughout, but one particular exhibit worthy of special mention at this time is the lemons, which are "immense." There are a number of these which will weigh over a pound each, and one has been brought in which weighs thirty ounces. Quinces 18 inches in circumference will also be shown.

The outlook for fair weather for the week is splendid, and the attendance promises to be a record-breaker for the entire time. Excursions are to be run each day next week, and reduced rates prevail from all points daily. The Farmers' Institute which opened

here yesterday morning is one of the best that has been held here for some time. The program is especially interesting and the attendance has been large. Mrs. M. E. Sherman and W. R. McIntosh of Fresno, Prof. Clark and Prof. Shaw of the University of California, a Klingner butcher, with Jacob of Visalia, and Dr. A. R. Ward are among the prominent speakers. Yesterday forenoon was devoted to dairying and cattle, and Andrew Winter of this place spoke on "Dairying in California," Mrs. Sherman on "Breeding and Care of the Dairy Herd," and Dr. Ward on "Bovine Tuberculosis." Last night Secretary A. E. Mott of the Tulare County Board of Trade gave an illustrated address on this county and other parts of the state.

W. E. Noble has purchased the Tallent garage here. Mr. Noble is the man who a few months ago secured a patent on a flying machine and he expects to use the garage machine shop for the perfection of his model. Mr. Tallent will continue in charge of the auto department for some time to come.

Earl Hagley of Visalia swore to a complaint Wednesday charging E. J. Carlson, a Klingner butcher, with cruelty to animals. It is stated that Carlson has neglected the cattle at his slaughterhouse west of here and failed to water and feed the animals as he should.

A sacred concert will be given at the Presbyterian church Sunday night. The Thanksgiving services were well attended, though the congregation was not as large as was to have been expected. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Arthur Dechman.

MANY TO ATTEND  
FAIR AT DINUBA

Local Merchants Respond Heartily to Request to Be Present on Excursion.

While only a partial canvass of the business men has been made, it was stated yesterday that the prospects for a large delegation from Fresno to Dinuba next Wednesday, are exceedingly bright.

The business men and bankers are taking hold of the proposition with a will, and it is expected that about 200 will make the trip.

W. M. McDaniel stated yesterday that the souvenir badges will be out tomorrow and everyone who intends to go on the excursion is urged to purchase one.

The entertainments for the day are many and varied. In addition to a baseball and football game there will be bicycle and running races. During the afternoon a musical and literary program will be given and in the evening there will be a big dance.

Reports from Dinuba indicate that this will be the best fair ever held in Tulare county and local merchants are making a strenuous effort to visit it next Wednesday.

VIOLENT GALE ON PUGET SOUND  
PORT TOWNSEND, November 27

The most violent gale in years swept the lower sound today. The American schooner, Willie R. Hume, at anchor in Port Townsend harbor, was driven onto the beach, the apparently is undamaged and will be floated tomorrow.

A launch containing James North and Albert Magee was wrecked and the men were taken off by a passing vessel just before their craft sank.

PLANS COMPLETE  
FOR BARACA RALLY

Field Secretary Tesh Will Speak.

All Sunday School Classes in City Will Be in Attendance.

Final arrangements were completed yesterday for the Baraca rally which will be held in this city Tuesday evening, November 30th. The meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian church, the Federated Baracas of Fresno will entertain the meeting, and all Sunday school classes of the city and church workers are cordially invited to be present. W. R. Webb of this city, who will have charge of the meeting, while Luther M. Tesh, field secretary of the Worldwide Baraca Union, will deliver the address. Mr. Tesh is a speaker of note, and his remarks will no doubt be very interesting, as he is thoroughly familiar with the work in the Baraca world. The meeting will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and all the organized Bible classes of the different churches of the city will be in attendance. Invitations to attend this meeting have been extended to the organized classes in the churches of the entire valley. This address will no doubt be very interesting and helpful to the different organizations, which will be represented at the meeting, as well as all others who are interested in Christian work. Mr. Tesh has been conducting these rallies throughout the United States, and comes highly recommended.

**FIRE LOSS IN COLORADO.**  
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 27.—Fire which originated in the basement of the First National Bank building, about 2 o'clock this morning destroyed the store of Perkins & Sherer. The loss is estimated at nearly \$100,000, fully insured.

## MAKE HASTE

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# SOCIETY

The approach of the great holiday season brings a great deal of happiness to the hearts of the people. The memories of the past year are being recalled with a sense of respect and appreciation. This morning in anticipation of the coming season of good cheer, please look at the humble chronicle of society in the telling of a little story that should have a very deep interest to every American citizen and which has been suggested by the appearance of the "Red Cross Christmas Stamp" when it is a double duty. It ornaments our Christmas cards, and letters, and besides adds a considerable sum to the fund which is set aside in the country for the lighting of the war.

Fresno has no Red Cross Society (more) than the city, and the stamps are being sold through the medium of some of the philanthropic women of the churches, under the supervision of the Red Cross organization.

It seems that there is no organized branch of the work between Stockton and Los Angeles, and until Fresno has a branch organization of her own she will be under the supervision of the Stockton society.

But why should we have a branch of our own? Is Stockton a better, more public-spirited city than it should be? Would you not all have heard Mrs. Johannes Reimers, wife of a well-known landscape gardener and heretofore a public-spirited and a faithful woman, tell of the manner in which the Stockton Red Cross Society, under the leadership of the poor unfortunate who are unable to be treated in private camps.

She has taken a few days out of her busy life to come to Fresno and interest some of the women here in pushing the sale of the little Christmas stamps which is to spread the length and breadth of the land.

The stamp is a tiny affair, an inch square and printed in bright Christmas colors, the inscription, "Merry Christmas," being printed in white letters. The border is ornamented with pretty little designs. The red cross is the conspicuous symbol on the stamp. These stamps are gotten up by the government and sell for one cent each. They do not take the place of postage, as is the case in Denmark where the stamp idea originated, but are simply a cheery Christmas message, symbolic of the cheer which the society brings to its patients. The stamps cannot be sold except through the authorization of a Red Cross Society.

Through the sale of these stamps last year, the Stockton society was able to build a tuberculosis camp that is a credit to the city and which does an excellent work. It is not expensive to operate and is a most important factor in fighting this curse of our land. Californians, particularly, ought to realize the necessity for preventing the spread of this disease. At these out of door camps the patient is cared for in a sunny way and only those patients are received who are in the first stages of the malady. In this stage a cure is always possible.

Some one has suggested that right up here in our warm foothills would be an ideal shelter for the establishment of such a camp. What more needed philanthropy than this? Our largest club hosts a philanthropic department. What is it doing? There is certainly not a lack of opportunity.

It has been found a splendid plan to set the school children at work selling the little Christmas stamps. They enjoy doing it, and it gives them a little practical lesson in selling Christmas cheer and in learning of a subject that can be very largely reached through education.

So, while you are as busy as can be doing up your Christmas packages for Eastern friends and those at home, let us encourage the sale of the little Red Cross stamp, giving a thought to what that stamp means to you and your neighbor.

It is to be hoped that at some future time Mrs. Reimers may be directed to return to Fresno and give some inspiration for a permanent Red Cross organization.

There seems to be a certain air of "things doing" in the general atmosphere of the city. The people are busy, and it is a good thing to put your finger on a particular date, they are few and far between. Entertaining from now on until after Christmas will be largely of an informal kind, for there are too many home duties pressing to give thought to formality in any form. And, after all, isn't it the very informality of the whole holiday season that is so pleasant? The happy hearts of Christmas shoppers find expression in a loud word, a warm smile that gives a new way toward making the season beautiful.

Socially, all interest of the coming week centers upon the silver wedding anniversary of Judge and Mrs. Mylue King Harris, who will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary this week.

The North Park Bridge Club, composed of members from this fashionable residence section, has renewed its meetings for the season, the club holding its first affair with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Foster. The meetings are to be fortnightly, the next one being with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips next Saturday night.

The members of this cozy little organization include Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miller, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Strout, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. MacMillan are entertaining at their guests at their suburban home, the latter's niece and Mr. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Frutcher of New York. Mrs. Frutcher is a sister of Miss Agnes Winn, who makes her home in the MacMillan household. On Thanksgiving night the host and hostess entertained at a charming little dinner of ten covers for their house guests.

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The ladies of the Methodist church of Dinuba are making lavish preparations for a dinner which they are going to serve Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at the hall in Dinuba this week during the progress of the Dinuba fair, which many Fresnoans are planning to attend.

Mrs. C. W. Machen and Mrs. W. Y. Russell entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving night at Mrs. Machen's home, 141 Nelson avenue, in honor of Mrs. Noyes of Berkeley. The table was prettily decorated with a center piece of yellow chrysanthemums. Potted plants and clusters of chrysanthemums decorated the reception rooms. After dinner the guests enjoyed several interesting rounds of whist.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Machen, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Gearhart, Mr. Dalton is personally conducting rehearsals and Mr. Osborne is to coach the cast at final rehearsals.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cameron will entertain a few of their friends at a "possum" dinner at their Forti-camp-avenue home this afternoon.

Friends of the Reeding family will be much interested in the news of the wedding of the second son of the family, Frederick W. Reeding, to Miss Elsie Carruth of San Francisco. The marriage was very quietly solemnized in San Francisco on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Reeding leaving immediately after the ceremony for New Mexico on their honeymoon trip.

Mrs. John D. Gray is here from Carmel-by-the-Sea, spending a week with her two sons, Lee L. Gray and Dwight H. Gray, and their respective families. Mrs. Gray owns a charming bungalow by the sea, where she spends a great deal of her time and her Fresno friends are always delighted when she honors them with a visit. She expects her sister, Mrs. Hamilton, to join her the middle of the week and together they will go to Los Angeles for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Florence Reed leaves this morning for San Francisco for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Graycroft have returned from a visit of several months in the East, during which they visited New York and other large Eastern cities.

The ladies of the Parlor Lecture Club are making elaborate preparations for a bazaar and dinner which they will give on December 5th and 6th in the club house in which the public is very much interested. This handsome new building fills a long felt want in public affairs and doubtless the public will be more than glad to lend its support as the opportunity offers.

The club women have been very busy making fancy articles for the bazaar, which opens on Tuesday evening, December 7th, with a hot chicken supper served by a bevy of pretty girls. All the old-fashioned good things that go with a chicken supper will be served. After dinner there will be an entertainment in which the chief feature will be a play entitled "The Lifting of the Veil," representing a costume party in the church parlors. An invitation is extended to all the members of the church and congregation to attend this social affair. The committee in charge has arranged a good program and there will be refreshments.

Mrs. Arthur Tarpey has returned to Fresno after a prolonged absence with relatives and friends in Piedmont. She has been greatly missed from social circles, especially among the country set in which she is very popular. Mr. and Mrs. J. Pauling Edwards returned with Mrs. Tarpey for a few days' visit at the Tarpey vineyard. Mrs. Edwards will be better remembered as Miss Dolores Tarpey, whose marriage to the young engineer took her to Chicago to live. They have for home this morning.

man in the employ of the Southern Pacific in this city. The rooms were very prettily decorated for the occasion with greenery and blossoms. The bride looked especially charming in her wedding gown of white lace, which fell to the floor, and she carried a large white carnations. Both bride and groom were unattended. Rev. Mackey of the First Methodist church officiated.

There was a dainty wedding

# NEWS OF EVENTS IN REALM OF SPORT

## SUBBLING WATER SHOWS LAST YEAR'S FORM AT EMERYVILLE AND WINS OAKLAND HANDICAP

OAKLAND, Nov. 27.—(Byline) Subbling Water, the champion of the world, showed last year's form at Emeryville today. The champion of the world, who won the Oakland Handicap last year, was the favorite for the event. The champion of the world, who won the Oakland Handicap last year, was the favorite for the event. The champion of the world, who won the Oakland Handicap last year, was the favorite for the event.

First race, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling. Subbling Water, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling. Subbling Water, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling. Subbling Water, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling.

## AMERICAN TENNIS CHAMPS DEFEATED BY AUSTRALIANS

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 27.—Play in the international tennis tournament, the Dwight F. Davis challenge cup, began today with the singles, in which the Americans were defeated in straight sets.

The weather was cool and the sky overcast. The court was slow. The audience was good.

The score: International singles: Norman E. Brookes, Australia, beat Maurice McLaughlin, United States, 6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

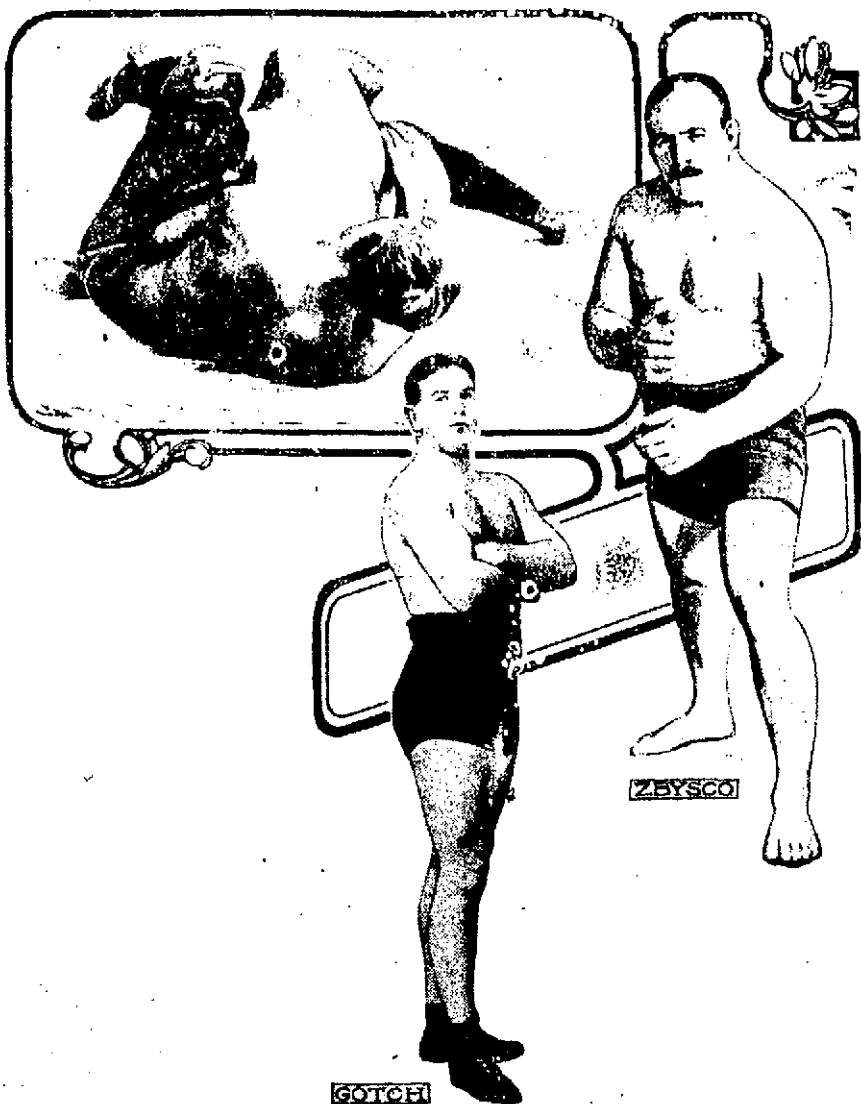
## N. Y. LAW MAY PREVENT OPENING OF BIDS FOR JEFF-JACK FIGHT

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Applications today were that the law would prevent the proposed gathering in Madison Square Garden next Wednesday night at which bids for the Jeffries-Johnson fight were to be opened.

LIVE STOCK SHOW OPENS AT CHICAGO STOCK YARDS.

CHICAGO, November 27.—The international live stock show opened at the stock yards today with 7,000 head of the finest livestock in the country.

## ZBYSCO, GALICIAN BONE BREAKER, WHO WON HANDICAP MATCH FROM FRANK GOTCH, WORLD'S CHAMPION



ZBYSCO

Since his arrival in this country, some three months ago, ZbySCO has made a good showing, defeating every man he has met with ease. ZbySCO has beaten all the best wrestlers of Europe with the exception of Heckenschmidt. He was formerly a strong man before taking to the wrestling game. ZbySCO is twenty-six years old and weighs 270 pounds in wrestling trunks and is five feet eleven inches in height. His neck is twenty-two inches around, chest fifty-five inches, waist forty-two inches, upper arm twenty-two inches, forearm eighteen inches, wrist thirteen inches, hips thirty-one inches, calf nineteen and one-half inches. Compare these measurements with some of the noted American wrestlers and boxers, and some idea of the mammoth size of the new wrestling invader may be had.

Gotch recently stated that he expected to experience difficulty in throwing ZbySCO. The champion's most recent bout was with Giovanni Ravevich, the Italian, whom he downed twice in less than twenty minutes. Illustration shows Gotch executing fast from leg hold in recent contest.

## PROMOTER OF NELSON-GANS FIGHT MAKES HIGH BID

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—(Byline) A certified check for \$25,000 to be applied on a bid for the Jeffries-Johnson championship fight, of L. Rickard of Goldenfield, Nev., whisked through town yesterday on route to Philadelphia for a conference with Jeffries. The man who engineered the Jeffries-Nelson combat, an affair of historic history, is an enthusiastic over his prospect.

NEW ORLEANS, November 27.—Phil Brook of Cleveland, and Leonid Leader of Los Angeles, eight ten rounds to a draw before the Royal Athletic Club here tonight.

## LANGFORD'S MANAGER IS SINCERE IN DEFT TO JACK JOHNSON

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Acting for Sam Langford, the heavyweight boxer of this city, Manager George Wood today deposed \$10,000 to bid a match of not less than twenty rounds with Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world.

on exhibition. Argentine Republic, Great Britain and twenty-two states are represented.

The principal feature was the judging contest in which students from the agricultural colleges of fifteen states competed. The states represented included Wyoming, North Dakota and Texas. The results will be announced later.

## SAM LANGFORD MAY JOE WILLIS WILL ENGLISH RACING

### HOOK UP WITH KAUFMAN

Winner Would Be in Line to Challenge Jeff or Johnson.

### TRAIN HERE FOR BOUT

Will Meet Jack Burns Dec. 15.

### SEASON IS CLOSED

Being Second to American.



Joe Willis.

## TOMORROW'S ENTRIES AT EMERYVILLE TRACK

OAKLAND, November 27, Emeryville, entries for Monday, November 28: First race, 5 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling. Subbling Water, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling. Subbling Water, 100 furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling.

## FOUR FAVORITES BRING HOME THE MONEY AT TAMPA TRACK

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 27.—The hotel had a good day at the Tampa track. Four favorites brought home the money, thanks to the most heavily played one on the card.

FRENCH COURT REFORM. PARIS, Nov. 27.—The extra-parliamentary commission, appointed by Minister of Justice Barthou to revise the procedure in the criminal courts of France, today formally voted to recommend the suppression of the interregals.

## HOW ABOUT CHICK GANDIL? WILL HE REVERT TO TIGERS WITH OTHER GRASSHOPPERS?

Charles Graham, manager of the Sacramento Tiger Athletic Club, says that Chick Gandil, the hard hitting right fielder, is not included in this year's season. Gandil, who was a member of the Sacramento Tigers, is now a member of the Chicago White Sox. Gandil, who was a member of the Sacramento Tigers, is now a member of the Chicago White Sox.

NEW ORLEANS GENEROUS. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—Following a mass meeting of athletes, business men and city officials here last night, at which the greatest amount of money was raised, there was for-warded to President Brown of Chicago a formal acceptance of the holding of the National Amateur Athletic Union from the Tiger stronghold was ordered to return to the local club.

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	BALCONY—Balance rows	.50c
	BOX AND LOGE SEATS	\$2.00
	GALLERY	.25c

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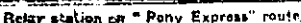


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## The Revolutionary Woman

# Mary Woman

and she have upheld them. Humility, Charity, Obedience, Modesty, Truthfulness, Goodness—these were the qualities they demanded; and they got them. How weak human nature could sustain these highest of virtues as perfectly as the weak of earth could be as good as the angels! Untrustworthy in mind as they theoretically were, was never explained."

## GREAT SUMS FOR RARE EDITIONS

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The manuscripts of Meredith's novels, which Pierpont Morgan has purchased for his new New York library, will form part of the rarest and earliest collection of books and manuscripts ever gathered together by any private person. Morgan owns the manuscripts of ten of Scott's novels, of Thackeray's "Vanity Fair," masterpieces of Dickens, Brontë, George Sand, Flaubert, Lytton and Zola, originals of Horace Walpole's letters, the booklets of Shelley, Keats and Byron, the original manuscript of Byron's "Cenci," Book I of Milton's "Paradise Lost," and many other literary treasures for which he has given great sums.

Here are some of his rare books and the prices he paid: Set of Al-dubund, \$50,000; "Evangeline Quatuor," bound in beaten gold studied with precious stones, \$50,000; Siryn Park Baskin, 5000 golden-stamped manuscript of Ruskin's "Seven Lamps of Architecture," \$25,000; original of Dr. Faustus, the Breakfast Table, \$4000; set of Dickens, \$5,000; "Psalms of Contrition," described as the grandest book ever printed, \$50,000; William Morris' entire library of 700 books, including thirty-six Caxtons, for which Morgan paid nearly a million sterling.

## ABSOLUTELY RIGHT.

A pretty young schoolmarm who teaches a first grade class in a school of the northeastern section of the city is telling a funny story on herself that happened just before the close of the term. She had some visitors on the afternoon in question, and thought she would show them what a good class she had. Calling on a bright little fellow at the rear of the room, she said to him: "Johnnie, how much would you want for your book?" "Two cents and your father gave you 3 cents, how much would you have?" "Seven," replied Johnnie.

The teacher blushed painfully, but thought that she would try again. "You can't have understood me, Johnnie. Now listen and I will ask you the question. If I gave you 2 cents and your father gave you 3, how much would you have?"

"Seven," said Johnnie again, and with the same promptness.

"You can't understand me, Johnnie," said the teacher. "How on earth would you have 7?"

"I got 2 in my pocket," said Johnnie—Philadelpia Times.

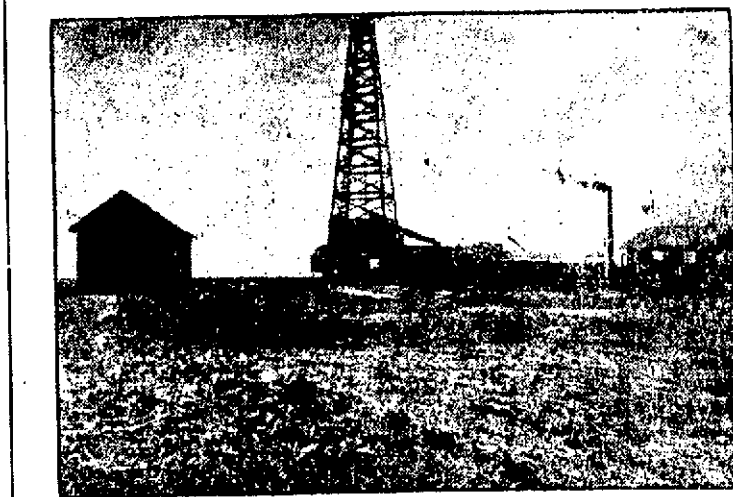
## UNCLE SAM'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

REAU.

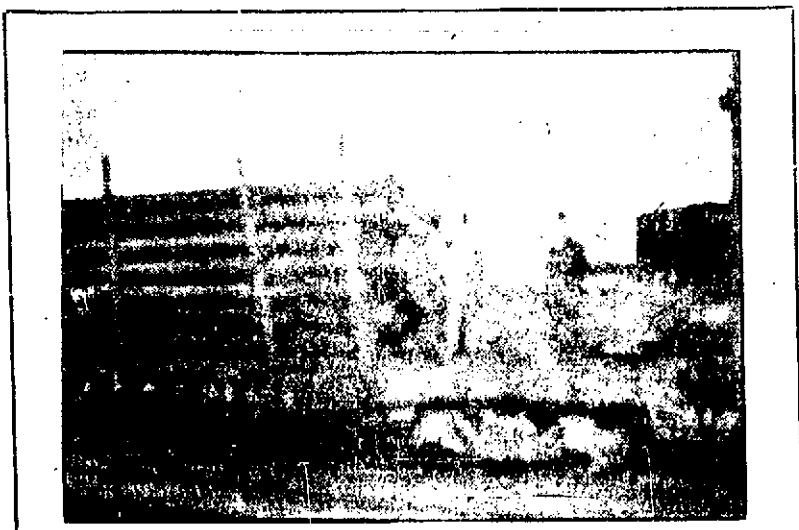
Uncle Sam has opened a free employment bureau which may develop into the largest institution of its kind ever attempted. Four million passports are recently sent by the Department of Commerce and Labor to the various postmasters with instructions to distribute them among mill, factory managers and farmers in search of workmen. The cards are returned to Washington, stating the number and kind of men desired, and are placed on file. The plan is to turn them over to immigrants and the unemployed men of the great cities with the view of aiding both the small industry without workmen and the workmen without jobs.—Chicago.

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## MANN AFRAID OF WOOD PULP WAR

Will Introduce Bill in Congress to Make Special Arrangement With Canada.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Congressman Mann, chairman of the special committee on wood pulp and paper of the last congress, who prepared the provisions on these items first reported to the house by the Payne bill, but who was overruled by congress in the final passage of the tariff law, took the position today that the country may well be alarmed at the danger of a tariff war with Canada growing out of the tariff on wood pulp and print paper under the Payne act.

Mann will introduce into congress several bills and joint resolutions relating to this. One measure is a joint resolution to postpone the application of maximum tariff from April next to January 1, 1911. Another provides that the maximum tariff of the United States shall be held not to apply to wood pulp and print paper imported from Canada.

Mann has prepared and will introduce a bill which provides that wood pulp and printing paper shall be imported from Canada, being the product thereof, on the condition that Canada or the province in which the wood pulp or printing paper is manufactured shall not forbid or restrict the importation of such pulp or paper, or impose any export duty or export license fee upon printing paper, mechanically ground wood pulp or wood used in the manufacture of wood pulp.

These measures will be referred by the speaker to the committee on ways and means, but Mann may make a fight in the house to have them referred to the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, where he is the new chairman.

### CANN COMPEL VOTE.

Mann says that under the rules of the house, if the ways and means committee declines to report upon his proposition he can bring them before the house at any time by motion to take them away from the committee on ways and means, and refer them to his own committee. In the last congress, when the ways and means committee was endeavoring to smother the bill introduced by Mann to prevent the importation of smoking opium, he sent a notice to every member of the house that on a certain morning he would move to take the bill from the ways and means committee, and refer it to a friendly committee. The result was a passage at arms between Mann and the committee on ways and means, and the bill was passed on the floor of the house, but Payne was compelled to report Mann's opinion bill, and it became law.

Mann now desires some legislation such as he proposed to adopt, or a reciprocal treaty with Canada. He arrived in Canada, smiling under the inspection of the Payne tariff law, is likely to forbid the exportation of pulp from Canada to the United States and thereby not only close up a number of the newspaper mills of the United States, but increase the cost and price of print paper to a point which will inflict tremendous injury not only upon the newspapers, but upon the book publishers, including especially school books.

Dr. Mary Harris, Osteopath, 147 Forsyth street, Main 1229.

## DENIES PEOPLE RULE IN AMERICA

Professor Charles Zuehlbin Says No Real Democracy Exists in the United States.

Professor Charles Zuehlbin, formerly of the University of Chicago, was the lecturer Sunday before the League of Political Education.

After telling the audience, which was composed mainly of women, how the recent tariff bill was passed, Professor Zuehlbin said that the old idea of the eighteenth century under which the constitution was framed, "the greatest good for the greatest number," had passed its day. "That ideal," said the lecturer, "it is all progress and poverty to get together in this twentieth century, and nothing better can be asked under the terms of the constitution and the eighteenth century. We may congratulate ourselves today for a better average, but not until we all have a share in the good can we rest content. The new ideal of democracy is the greatest good of all."

"The average American of today does not know what the state means," said the professor. "He will die for his country but he will not live for it. He should see the flag over the school house, but he won't ask that I stand for anything except battleships, and will see his brother slaves in the next ally while he slouts for these."

"Americans have representative democracy and think they have real democracy after Lincoln's ideal—of the people, for the people, and by the people," he declared. "That is the one great reason why it does not exist. How much have we government by the people? Any demand for the referendum is met by a veto from a minority of the United States, and the principles of representative government and unconstitutional."

"To prove that there is no government by the people, the speaker showed how by our electoral system Lincoln was elected by a minority of the people, and Cleveland by a majority of 100 in New York state alone; how Nevada got the same representation in the Senate as New York, and how two gentlemen from Illinois and Rhode Island run the Congress, while the representative system—New York Herald.

### Naming Men-of-War.

The big battleships of the United States navy have thus far been named after the states of the Union, and the cruisers for the cities. But the department has a good rule, by which the names of men who in the past distinguished themselves in the service can be bestowed on the smaller craft.

Thus the memory of five naval heroes have just been honored in the designations of the five new torpedo boat destroyers authorized by Congress. Twenty-six such names of famous officers have already been used, and to these the department has added those of Rear Admiral Daniel Ammen, Lieut. John F. Riddle, Capt. Daniel T. Patterson, Rear Admiral Henry Walker, and Ensign John B. Monaghan.—From the Buffalo Commercial.

## MATRON AT ELLIS ISLAND IS DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Many thousands of immigrants who have passed into this country through this port will recall Mrs. Regina Stuchlen, the matron at Ellis Island, who has just died at her home in Brooklyn. For more than twenty-five years she has been assistant matron or matron of the old Castle Garden and on Ellis Island. Because of the interest she took in the poor aliens coming into this country she became known as the "Mother of the Immigrants."

## KAISER WISHES TO ENCOURAGE FAMILIES

Will Act as Godfather to Eighth Child Is the Announcement at Berlin.

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—A remarkable method of stimulating the German birth rate has been introduced by the German government, and it is said that the Kaiser himself is the author of this original idea.

The minister of the interior has issued a circular order to the local authorities in all parts of the country, forcing them that the Kaiser will stand as godfather to the eighth child in any German family. The circular is a copy of the Kaiser's own letter to the local authorities, and is signed by the Kaiser himself. The circular is signed by the Kaiser himself. The circular is signed by the Kaiser himself.

The increase of the German population by approximately 1,000,000 during the last decade has compelled other European countries to expect to have to deal with a population of 100,000,000 Germans within the next half century. This rate of increase is considerably in excess of that of the population of Western European countries.

Recently, however, the German birth rate began to show signs of diminution, and it is known that the emperor, in common with Mr. (Kaiser) regards any tendency in the direction of smaller families to be a national evil. The decree issued by the minister of the interior announcing the bestowal of imperial favor on parents with large families as well as a subvention of those fathers and mothers who stand in need of it, is the outcome of this feeling.

### MEDIEVAL ECONOMY.

By donjon keys belonging to his fair innamorata. Sir Wilfrid on his trumpet blew an amorous cantata.

By donjon-keep and archway grim That knight gave his recital, One tune alone was played by him, "Elfrida" was its title.

Yet, hid within her castle—He—Elfrida, fickle lady, Was wholly captivated by Sir Marmaduke O'Grady.

In fact, it was their wedding day, Though Wilfrid didn't know it, Unflinching, he blew his k., Ye gods, how he did blow it.

Elfrida hears the trumpet's din And shows immense discretion, She takes her place, unflinching, In The martial procession.

And while poor Wilfrid, 'neath the arch, His love apostrophizes, He ditty as a wedding march, She calmly utilizes!

—New York Times.

### QUEEN PATRON OF SALVATION ARMY

The aged Dowager Queen of Sweden, who has arrived in London and will spend a great part of the winter in this country, is a patron of the Salvation Army, which, owing to her support, has had considerable success in Sweden. At one time, short of actually wearing the uniform, she was an out-and-out member of the Salvation Army, and contributed very largely to its funds. It is related that one day she heard of the army's conversion of a blind woman, and immediately ordered her to be brought to court.—London Daily News.

## RENEW SIBERIAN EXILE HORRORS

Officials Brutally Treat the Unfortunates Placed at Their Arbitrary Disposal.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 14.—The czar has ordered that all persons sentenced to exile in Siberia during the years 1910-12 shall be sent to the government of Yeniseisk or Irkutsk, with the exception of persons already living in those governments, who will be sent to Yakutsk. The measure has been further played in connection with the facilities in the three governments to which exiles will be sent to be decided by the Minister of Justice, in agreement with the Minister of the Interior and the Minister of the War.

The imperial order gives added interest to a letter from an exile in the government of Yeniseisk. Apparently the anxious consultation between Mr. Stolypin, the Minister of Justice, and the Governor of Yeniseisk suggested in the czar's decree did not take place in this case. What really happened was that a trumpety official went to a map, plucked his finger on a name and ordered that the exile should be sent to the place. Hence the exiled correspondent found himself one of twenty in a miserable village of some eighteen houses.

Most of the exiles were without any means whatsoever. At Krasnoyarsk they had to look for the miserable pittance, 2 1/2 pence a day, due to them. It was refused, but they were told, would be sent in due course. A few months passed and the money did not arrive. Most of the exiles were to be sent to work, and could make little even when they obtained a job. That was seldom. The villagers were too poor to give them food for nothing. Goaded by hunger, they begged the head of the village to give them permission to go further on into the country to look for work. He consented, not sorry the village should be rid of them.

The little company started out, and managed to find work. For little more than 1 shilling a week they toiled from sixteen to eighteen hours a day, subsisting on dried fish, sour milk and badly baked bread. They cut down trees, chopped firewood, burnt charcoal, cleaned out stables and cattle sheds, made bricks, built houses, filled fields. A month or six weeks passed. There was not time for rest, no time even to become acquainted with each other. They were fighting for life. Lonely and wretched, exposed to the inclemency of the weather and the attacks of noxious insects, yet they toiled on, thankful to earn enough to keep body and soul together.

Then, at the order of another trumpety official, all this was stopped. A new head of police, Kalmikoff by name, arrived in the district, and ordered that the exiles should return to the place where they had been starving. They were taken by night, under a strong guard, to the village. Time was not even given them to get their wages from their employers. When they arrived at the village, Kalmikoff assembled the police and told them that the exiles were a set of rascals, garnishing his oration with many lies as to their past careers, and making no distinction between political and criminals. The peasants, dull and ignorant, accepted his statements as truth, and since this occurred the sufferings

## WHEN MODJESKA PLAYED HAMLET

Publication begins in the Christmas Century of Helen Modjeska's "Memories," the first chapters telling the fascinating story of the great actress' childhood and the beginnings of her career. She writes:

"Hamlet" made an overwhelming impression on me, and I worshipped at once the great masterwork of that mysterious spirit ruling over human souls, the wonderful wizard, reading the human heart and soul's nature, the great, inevitable Shakespeare. He became my master then and there, and remained so through my theatrical career. I never took better lessons in acting than those Hamlet gives to the players; I never enjoyed nothing more than when I played those wayward, great, passionate, proud, tender, jolly, cruel and heroes of Shakespeare's dramas.

I lived weeks afterward in a continual enchantment. The translations of Shakespeare were scarce, but Mr. Modjeska succeeded in getting "Hamlet" in Polish translation, and also "Two Gentlemen of Verona." The Merchant of Venice, and "Othello of Athens," which I read greedily. I had given up all aspirations in the direction of the stage, but my desire for achieving a name for myself had never left me, and I thought for awhile I might gain it as a writer. At the same time my good mother wanted me to pass a teacher's examination, becoming in self-support for women. To me learning was the highest pleasure. Endowed as I was with an exceptional by strong memory, it did not cost me any effort. I enjoyed it. I also went steadily to Mr. Modjeska's music school for three months. My only ambition and desire then was some day to become a church and concert singer; but the master insisted on making of me a prima donna, and again the vision of my treading the stage boards stood before me by day and night. Alas! the dear old man died in a few months, and I never took another lesson.

### THE ONLY WAY.

The shades of night were falling fast (As has been mentioned in the past) When through an Alpine village a blow A Climber with a retinue. He did not bear through snow and ice.

A bunch with a strange device, Nor did he roar "Excelsior!" (As has been mentioned heretofore), But tended strictly to his job, Which was to gain the mountain's nob.

Behind him on the weary jog There toiled a faithful blond stenog; Likewise there puffed a notry pub, Provided by the Alpine Club. Who saw the Climber did not cheat And swore him every thousand feet. Roped to a youthful Alpine guide, The trio scaled the mountainside.

At dawn the Climber topped the crag And waved the Climbers' Union flag. Dictated to the blond stenog, Made affidavit, "Sheep me, Bob!" That he had gained the mountain's nob; And Eli, the guide, to make things sure, Was witness to his signature. "That ought to hold the 'Show me bunch'." The Climber murmured, "Now for lunch!" —Chicago Tribune.

### HER WAY.

A woman is unreasonable enough to expect her husband to be as long forgetting their wedding day as she herself is, though she remembers it for the ivory satin in which she looked so stunning and he only for the egregious fool he felt himself to be.—Puck.

## MARRIAGES SOLEMN; DIVORCES FRIVOLOUS

Strange Complexity of Modern Life Caused by Lightness of the Marriage Tie.

District Judge Pike, of Reno, Nev., is a sensitive man with a new comprehension of the fitness of things. He declined to officiate at the wedding of a lady to whom he had granted a divorce three days before, on the ground that it would not look well. Naturally one asks, "Look well to whom?" To a very large number of the inhabitants of the various states of the Union divorce under any circumstances is regarded as a disgrace, and to many others who believe in divorce under certain circumstances, remarriage of divorced persons under any circumstances seems wrong. These are the people who hold that marriage is a sacrament. Presumably they do not constitute a majority in any state. The quick remarriage of a lady quickly divorced ought to look well to people who derive profit from the quick divorce business.

Reno, Nev., is a thriving divorce center. The facilities for getting quick divorces there are unsurpassed, and they have greatly increased the prosperity of the town. A well defined demand for quick and easy divorces is the justification of Reno and its judges. Many, if not most ladies who want divorces desire to marry again. Wherefore the ease of divorce is desirable. He draws the line sharply. "I'll divorce you," he says, "with neatness and dispatch, but I won't perform the marriage ceremony for you within three days, because it wouldn't look right."

The incident serves newly to illustrate the strange complexity of the contemporary social life. Marriages are performed with all the ancient solemnity. The marriage woman is still the type of respectability. But divorce for any cause, or none grows commoner every day, and it is getting so that one hesitates politely to ask an acquaintance about the health of the wife or husband, he had within the year.—From the New York Times.

### OZONE AS WATER PURIFIER.

Ozone is the best water purifier. It adds to the water nothing except oxygen, which assists in aeration. An ozonizing plant has been established at St. Maur, near Paris, where the water of the Marne River was found to contain many disease germs, even after it had passed through sedimentation basins and sand filters.

The temperature of the water is lowered by the operation, and not a trace of nitrous oxide, chlorine compounds, hydrogen dioxide, or metallic salts due to corrosion of the apparatus, can be detected in the sterilized water. Of the ozone absorbed 75 per cent is consumed immediately in sterilization, 7 per cent remains diffused through the water and causes a subsequent sterilizing effect, and 20 per cent escapes into the atmosphere.

### PANIC.

Panic reigned—men spoke in whispers, which not at all, women sobbed and little children clung to their mothers' skirts. Manifestly a great evil befell. Was it famine, a general failure of the fruits of the earth? No, for the land had no promise of famine, then? Not that, either—the public health was as sound as possible.

None of these, nor war, nor riot. But the President of the Great Overland Railway had a headache, and his temperature was a tenth of a degree higher than it should be, and the newspapers couldn't keep still, and the nation was a commercial nation, and business was business, of the price had to be paid by somebody.—Puck.

## EUROPEANS USE FEW CRANBERRIES

With this year's cranberry crop estimated at 1,700,000 bushels, exclusive of the large production of Cape Cod, making a crop nearly twice as large as that of last year, the State Department has sought to find out the possibilities of Europe as a market for the surplus. Unfavorable reports have been received from many countries.

In London the demand for cranberries is confined almost exclusively to the American colony. Many years ago Sir Joseph Banks cultivated the berry in England, and at one time Lincolns shire and Norfolk supplied all that England needed for tarts, pies and an acid summer beverage. But had some popularity there. Nowadays, outside of the American berries, confessedly the best, England imports berries from Sweden and Russia.

The French are reported to regard the eating of cranberry sauce with fowl or game as "a mild form of barbarism," and yet the cranberry was a "sacred plant" with the Druids, who gave both government and religion to Gaul 2,000 years ago. However, France was not then the leader in creating fashions for the inner or the outer man.

The German people are more appreciative, but their government has prevented them from indulging in "a mild form of barbarism" by exacting a tariff duty of 21.19 on each 200 pounds, whereas the fruits of other countries are admitted free.

As long as Europe has failed to rise in its opposition, the American consumer may be able to get his cranberries cheaper.—New York World.

### AGE OF OLIVE TREES.

The longevity of olive trees is extraordinary. In Syria recently have been found some remarkably ancient olive trees whose ages are established beyond question. A trust deed exists which relates to an orchard covering 430 acres of trees near Tripoli, Syria, the trust deed having been issued 459 years ago.

Though the trees look aged, they still bear fruit of fine quality in abundance, and are likely to maintain their productivity for many hundreds of years yet. An olive grove near Hierut olive farm in the world, Syrian fruit farmers are extending olive and effect. One planter recently set out 300,000 trees in a block for commercial purposes.

Under European systems of culture the Syrians make the olive trees each season, while in the old days one crop in three years was thought to be all that the trees could produce. The low cropping capacity of the trees was due to the native method of thrashing the fruit from the branches with sticks which seriously injured them.

The methods of grinding the olives for oil and picking the fruit are peculiar. Neither grinders or pickers receive wages, but are paid on percentage. The pickers receive 5 per cent of the actual fruit picked and the grinders get 10 per cent of the fruit ground.—From the Dundee Advertiser.

### MAINE MINK AND OTTER SKIN.

Maine fur-bearing animals will be in demand this winter. The price for pelts are unusually high. A good mink will bring from 7 to 12 dollars, a good otter skin anywhere from \$12 to \$25.

While these prices are high, it is the world that fur-bearing animals are in demand. These little animals are common to these every season. Fox, mink, otter, and other furs are in demand. The fur trade is a very profitable business, and a good deal of money is made from it.—From the Dundee Advertiser.

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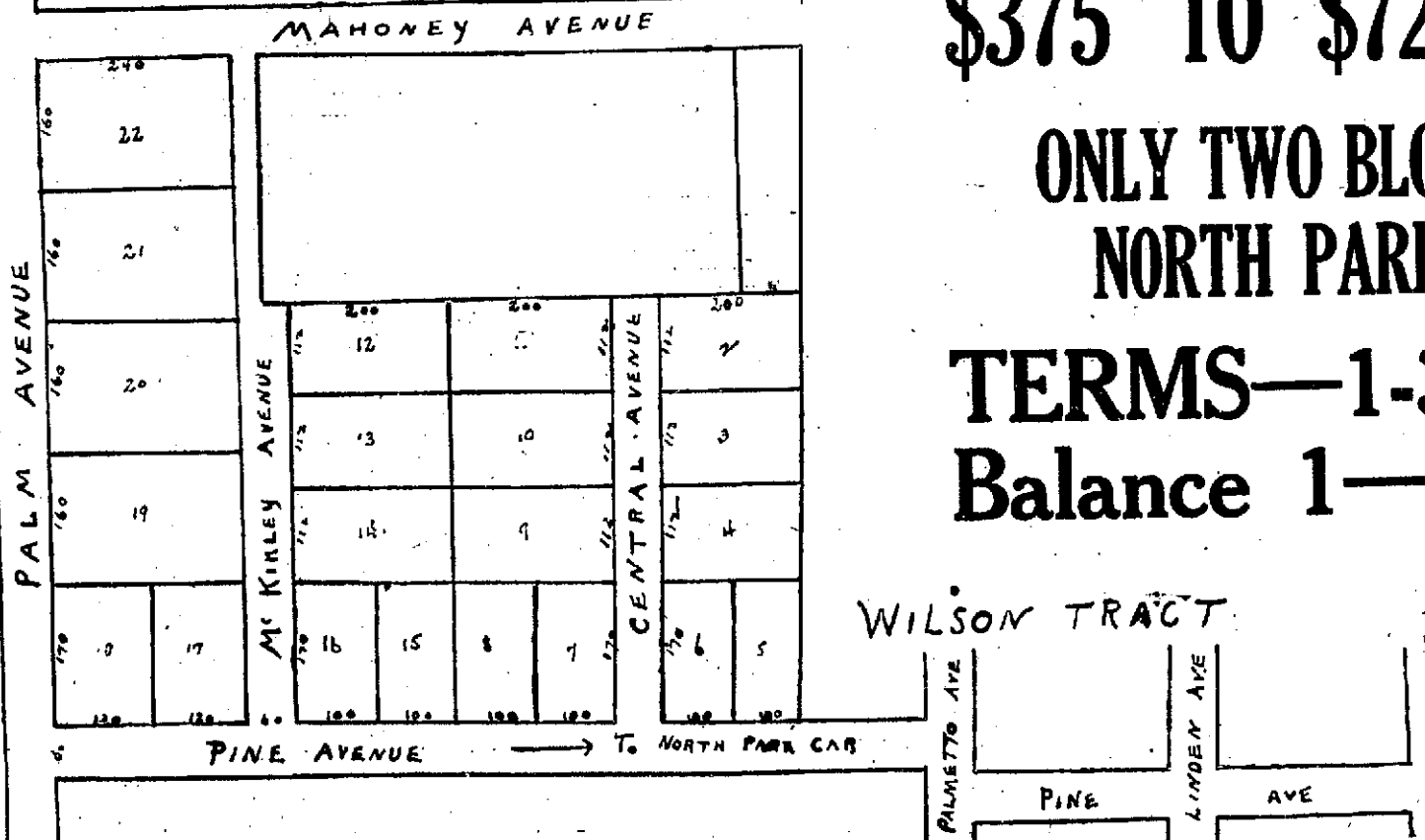
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